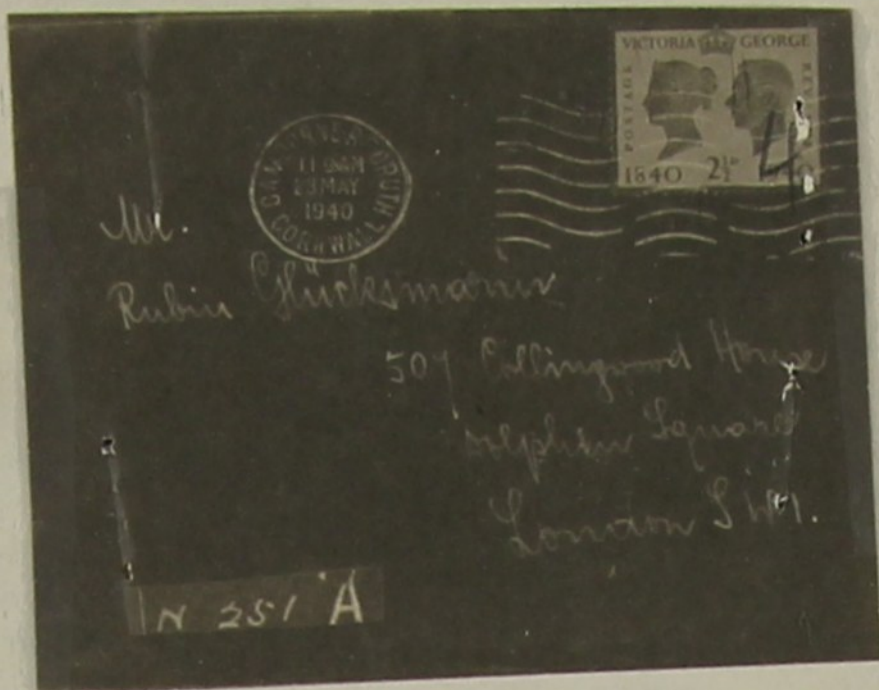




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Hospital 22.5.40.

Lieber Rubin.

Erstens bedanke ich mich sehr für den Brief und dann noch
ich sagen, dass ich sehr beeindruckt bin, weil ich gar nichts von dir
höre. Was ist eigentlich los? Ich glaube nicht, dass man dich
interessiert hat und was könnte mich sein? Bisher bist du sehr
beeindruckt über die Kriegsangelegenheiten, aber ich würde dich
sehr bitten, mich sofort zu einem Lebenszeichen zu geben.
Leslie und ich sprechen oft von dir und bedauern noch immer,
dich nicht getroffen zu haben. Es war so wunderbar, die
Gemeinschaft und ich bin sogar sehr hinausgeschwommen.
Die Injektionen haben sehr gut getan, ich habe zwar kein
solches monatliches Jünglings-Kommen gehabt, aber hatte
keinen Kollaps, kein Erbrechen, keine Kopfbeschwerden
wie nötig und ich ging auch nicht extra zu Bett. Also ein
gewaltiger Erfolg, und da ich auch weiterhin Injektionen
mache, ich bin das selbst, hoffe ich, nächstes Mal noch besser
zu sein. Also bitte lieber Rubin, lass uns nicht im Zweifel, was
mit dir los ist und schreib gleich. Leslie will jetzt ein Bungalow oder
ein Haus oder eine Wohnung zu mieten und will mit Maria in
Zürich wohnen, damit sie dem Haushalt folgen kann. Hoffentlich
finden wir etwas, denn dann hätten wir wenigstens wieder ein Heim
und müßten nicht immer bei jedem Wetter wie die Handstreichler
herumvagabundieren. Maria kann auf keinen Fall mehr bei der
alten Hebe wohnen, sie ist bockhaft wie ein Affe und tut dir alles
zu Fliss. Warum wird sie nicht. Also wir sind in Veränderung
begeffen, wenn wir der tot Wegg dabei wäre, ich fürchte so, das
Leslie antworten muss und dann wäre der schöne Traum vorbei.
Ich würde dir alles Liebe und Gute und hoffe, dass du dir
schon bald wieder und bitte schreibe sofort.
Viele Grüße und Liebe an dich, Alice & Peter

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RECORDED
25 AUG 1940

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Copy in P.F. 54396 RINK

[K. RINK.]

H. M. Internment Camp,
Holloway, N.7.

19. 5. 40

I am a British subject by birth, have always pursued my lawful business, have never contravened the law or defence regulations in any way. I know of absolutely no reason why I should be interned. I have always abhorred the Nazi regime, and have never had any connection or association with it either outside or inside this country. As a Jewess, I have enough reason ^{to} and hate and fear Nazism and all it stands for, alone for its persecutions of my co-religionists.

As I was detained on the 17th May 1940 at the offices of the firm which employed me, the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co, Ltd., 82, Upper Thames St, E.C.4, and as my employer, Mr. ^{Blackburn} R. Cruicksmann, an alien, was detained at the same time, all books and papers of the firm being taken under police supervision, moreover, having been asked during the search at my home address whether I had any of the firm's papers in my possession, I can only assume that my internment is connected with my firm's affairs. I have no knowledge of how, or whether, the firm has contravened the law or defence regulations, but would submit that, whatever the reasons for Home Office intervention, I have neither been responsible for, nor profited from the firm's business or affairs, having had no signatory power, and only having performed my duties as an employee of the firm and received a salary in the normal way.

Moreover, I am the main means of support of both my parents, my father being incapacitated through illhealth I not in receipt of any pension or other income. If I am unable to work and help provide for them, I do not know how they can otherwise be supported.

I therefore petition for release from internment.

(sgd) Kate Rink.

Received from detained person this day.
(sgd) Governor & Medical Officer.
21. 5. 40

Received by Advisory Committee 22. 5. 40

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As regards the firm of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., as GLUCKSMANN insists that he is an Austrian and that he and ZLOCZOWER own the firm, I spoke Mr. Craufurd who put me on to Mr. Clibbens of the Board of Trade. I arranged with Mr. Clibbens that Mr. Barnett, chartered accountant to the Board of Trade should be lent to us for a week or so in order to go fully into the affairs of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. Mr. Barnett will work in the offices of the firm at 82 Upper Thames Street, E.C., and sort out the various financial transactions of the firm. He will enlist the assistance of the banks and of the chartered accountants of the firm.

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Lin 348 (93) While we were in the offices on 20.5.40, [Mr. MACKAY, the secretary of the Company and GLUCKSMANN's solicitor, rang up to say that he had a Power of Attorney to manage the firm on behalf of GLUCKSMANN. On it being suggested to Mr. MACKAY that we should probably need his assistance in clearing up this unpleasant business, he hurriedly denied any knowledge of the business, except for legal formalities. He was then told by Inspector Rogers that the police held a search warrant for the premises and that as he said he knew nothing of the affairs of the company, he would not therefore be of any assistance, and it would be no use his coming to the offices until the protracted search through the papers of the Company had been concluded, when Inspector Rogers would let him know and hand him over the keys. Mr. MACKAY appeared to be satisfied with this and rang off.

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METROPOLITAN POLICE.

Special Report }

SUBJECT.....

20th day of May, 1940

na BORGER.

Reference to Papers

On the 17th May, 1940 when arresting Paula Sara ZLOCZOWER, German, Serial No. E.Z. 347771 and Elsa BASS, German, Serial No. E.Z. 317213 at 507 Collingwood House, Dolphin Square, S.W. I saw Erna BORGER, German, born Vienna on the 15th July, 1901. She holds German passport No. 15419 issued Vienna on the 1st September, 1938 and was conditionally landed as a domestic at Harwich on the 16th October, (M.L.P. No. 17657). Borger was granted exemption from the special restrictions of the Alien Order, 1920, by Tribunal No. 27 on the 1st January, 1940. She is at present out of work and receiving assistance from Bloomsbury House. Borger is residing in a furnished room at 51 Gloucester Gardens, W.2, and informs me her husband Leo BORGER is staying at 'Haughmond' Mountfield, Shrewsbury, Shropshire. She also has a son age 13 years who is staying at 'Brinddavia' St. Davids Road, Carnarvon.

Borger states she had met Rubin GLUCKSMAN (subject of separate report by Insp. Rogers) at the Mount Royal Hotel, W.1. and had visited his flat from time to time. There she met Bass and Zloczower who according to her she had not known previously. She is also a member of the Austrian Centre. C.C. 405,470

Submitted for information of M.I. 5.

J. Hulloer
Sergeant.

Submitted.

William Rogers
Inspector.

M.I. 5

J. Thompson
Superintendent.

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R. Glucksmann.

Morning Interview.

No points of outstanding interest were noted by me. The conversation between Glucksmann & the solicitor's clerk consisting almost entirely of enquiries re the welfare & whereabouts of:-

1. ^{CC 405470} Elsa Barr? (sister-in-law). ^{NF}
2. ^{LC 4061862} Miss Zloczower (partner's daughter). ^{hain}
3. Miss Rink (English girl employed in his office.)

Glucksmann was very concerned as to these people's welfare & handed one £20 Bank of England note to the solicitor's clerk, to be used on their behalf. Miss Elsa Barr & [Miss Zloczower] are Austrians & have been interned.

M^r Zloczower is Glucksmann's partner, & according to Glucksmann has always conducted the New York side of the business & is still there.

Glucksmann said he wished to make a statement to his solicitor. The use of a stenographer was requested but not allowed, & the clerk asked if he might return in the afternoon & take it down in longhand.

Glucksmann reiterated his concern over the fate of the ladies in his employ, as they could not help the situation in which they found themselves.

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Afternoon interview.

Glucksmann enquired if the clerk had brought a Power of Attorney for him, & seemed surprised that he had not: as he had despatched two Telegrams to his solicitors, one requesting them to come & see him, the other asking them to bring a Power of Attorney.

The clerk had evidently not seen the second Telegram.

The reason for request for a Power of Attorney was that solicitors could act for him in any case, & especially the immediate collection of a sum of money due from a firm called Willis, Faber & Dumas Ltd. of New York City, in respect of a damage claim for goods damaged by fire in a warehouse store.

These goods consisted of 950 skins.

Miss Rink's name was brought up again.

Glucksmann seemed very concerned that there was nobody in his flat - but that a Mr. Castle, of whom Glucksmann had never heard, had a permit to go to the flat. This surprised him very much.

Glucksmann was very upset on hearing that the Police were in his office.

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Gluckmann had his flat on sub lease from a Mr David, & paid his rent every month in advance.

Gluckmann then began a statement, a copy of which is attached in full.

D. B. Topham sent.

Cross reference to P.F. No. 590, MACKAY
 Copy in List 348(93) MACKAY
Redacted now

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Dear Mr. Mackay, *Wain*

On the 17th May, 1940, at about 9.30 a.m. I was arrested in my flat in Dolphin Square, 547 Collingwood House, all my letters and correspondence were searched. I was driven in a car to my office where my employee, ^{P.F. 54396} [Miss Rink,] was also arrested and all books and correspondence was searched and the keys taken. Miss Rink and I were then driven to Scotland Yard where Miss Rink was detained and I proceeded to the provisional internment camp, Oratory School, Stewarts Grove, Chelsea, S.W.3. In the afternoon of the same day, there was an interrogation and I gained the impression that everything that I said and every gesture I made created suspicion, and, so far as the Officials understood the activity of our company and of the other companies with whom we had business connections I believe that they were regarded as subversive activities.

In order to assist the enquiry which will probably take place I should like to give you the following information which you may offer to the Authorities if they make any request therefor. As you perhaps know, the basis of my firms' activity was the sale of furs, which were obtained during the spring and autumn hunting periods in outer Mongolia. The furs consisted in the main of:- marmots, foxes, wolves, lynx, squirrels, snowleopards, weasels, manocats and others but of these the marmots were of the first importance. The yield of the spring 1939 shooting of marmots was sold in London, the autumn shooting, was the bigger part, was sold in the United States of

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America. I sold the furs in London mainly through my brokers, those sent to New York were consigned to the ^{*}Pacific Merchandise Corp New York, ^{*}who sold them under Dr. Zloczower's instructions. The goods were sent to us in consignments by the Monsin Co-operative. The first time the furs came through the Vostwag establishment in Berlin, but later consignments were made direct.

For a long period the goods were shipped to Leningrad where twice a year official auctions were held which were attended by business men of all countries, mostly from the United States of America, the British Empire, Poland and smaller countries. The prices fixed at the auctions in Leningrad were more or less definite for the market all over the world. This of course has only to do with periods before the outbreak of war, as afterwards no shipments came via Leningrad and all auctions were cancelled. Our business was a very large one and the yearly harvest was about one and a half million marmots, the average price of which could be put at about 1 ¢ per piece (the first grades were considerably higher, being about 1.90 ¢ autumn and spring 1.45 ¢ the lesser grades were worth considerably less). We also did a great deal of business in wolf, fox and squirrel furs of Mongolian origin.

PF 45633 Oriental Trading & Squeezing Co.
 PF 45633 Vostwag During the first interrogation the name of Vostwag was mentioned and I had the impression that our connection with the Vostwag had created misapprehension, I deem it necessary therefore, to state

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clearly what this connection meant.

The Vostwag so far as I know (because at that time I had nothing to do with the business) was founded about 1924, and the full name of this abbreviation was: West-Osteuropäische Waren Austausch Gesellschaft, this company was founded in Berlin for the purpose of bringing raw material from Russia, Mongolia, China and other Eastern countries to Europe, especially to Germany and to supply in exchange industrial products e.g. machinery, motorcars, instruments, tools, passenger aeroplanes, clothes, silk and tea.

The business was not run purely on a barter system in so far as the goods were not exchanged directly for other goods, the imported goods were valued at the average market price and credited to the supplying company and the exported goods were debited. Now, such a business needed very large capital, as the imported goods could not be sold at once but had to undergo a long time of waiting until a good market price was obtainable, on the other side the requirements of the sender of the goods were sometimes very urgent and had to be met before the imported raw material was sold, for this reason mobilisation of capital was necessary, mostly in the form of advances on shipments. The Vostwag mobilised especially its resources with the D.A.D. Bank Berlin and the Deutschen Devisen Bank Berlin. In this way they obtained advances on shipments and were able to place their orders with German Industry, during the years 1924-1933 (the year of the advent of Hitler). The Vostwag had established stations for collecting,

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assorting, drying and confectioning of furs and casings, hog casings, and sheep casings. Throughout China, Mongolia and several places in China the stations in Russia could work at that time according to the new economic policy which was introduced in the N.E.P. period. This state of things ceased after a few years when the N.E.P. policy was thrown over and all the branches of foreign enterprises had to clear out, but it was developed in Mongolia and China where no such restrictions existed. The business was a very important one and the Vostwag has created special types of machinery for Mongolian country without any roads at all, and the first lorries built especially for this desolated state of communication were crossing the country and delivering goods of the Vostwag from the Russian border to China. The Vostwag after the seizure of points by Hitler had of course to undergo like all other firms in Germany a process of Nazification, that means, without regard to capacity or merits the very founders of the company and of this business found it impossible to continue their work. They preferred to leave Germany, and they took with them part of their fortune and they tried successfully to take away the big China and Mongolian business from Vostwag. The Vostwag branch in Urga, Mongolia, declared themselves autonomous. A special branch was formed in Paris and another in New York and Shanghai which were run on American and Chinese capital, in order to be able to fulfil the obligations and to supply the needs of Mongolian consignments of goods. The Far Eastern Fur Trading Company was an enterprise similar to those

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enumerated above, whereby it was founded for selling the Mongolian furs in London to the Continent, and to take over the business which was formerly run by the German Vostwag. The Vostwag in Berlin, was from that time (1933) onwards in receipt of only small consignments in exchange for the delivery of special parts to be used in machinery which had formerly been supplied. Such spare parts being unobtainable elsewhere and the autonomous branch of the Vostwag, in Mongolia, preferred to pay for such consignments.

The machinery, cars and etc. which were necessary for us in Mongolia, were no longer supplied by German firms but by General Motors, the American Corp'n, which had created a special type of motorcar for long overland traffic in Mongolia. About nine planes were purchased, three in Amsterdam and nine in California. These were paid for by my company under the direction of the Vostwag in lieu of payment of outstanding amounts due from myself to them.

S.B. No. 1 (Flimsy)

22 MAY 1940

METROPOLITAN POLICE.

Special Report }

SPECIAL BRANCH,

Metropolitan Police,

Scotland House,

SUBJECT

Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

Kate RINK.

Paula Sara

ZLOCZOWER.

Elsa BASS.

Reference to Papers

20th day of May, 1940

In accordance with instructions received in Home Office letter No. G. 9564 dated the 16th May, 1940 in company with Sergeant Challoner, Special Branch, I went to 507 Collingwood House, Dolphin Square, S.W. on the 17th May, 1940 and arrested Rubin GLUCKSMANN, Austrian, registered with police under serial No. E.Z. 300721.

His flat at Dolphin Square was thoroughly searched and I took possession of a quantity of correspondence. Later Glucksmann was taken to his business premises at The Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., Ltd., 82 Upper Thames Street, E.C., of which company he is Managing Director. I there executed a Search Warrant issued under Section 88A of the Defence Regulations, 1939. The premises contained an enormous quantity of memoranda which is now in the process of being examined by experts from M.I. 5.

Glucksmann was taken to the Internment Camp, Oratory Schools, Chelsea, S.W. where he was handed over to the Commandant. His police Registration Book was endorsed as directed in Home Office letter.

Submitted herewith is the Search Warrant duly endorsed.

On the same date I saw [Kate RINK, Secretary of The Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., Ltd., and as directed in Home Office letter No. 840114 dated the 16th May, 1940, I arrested her.

In company with Sergeant Challoner, I took her to her residence at 24A Hillfield Park, N. 10, and there executed a Search Warrant issued under Section 88A of The Defence Regulations, 1939.

I took possession of a quantity of correspondence which has been handed to M.I. 5. Rink was conveyed to Holloway Prison. Submitted herewith is the original Detention Order together with Search Warrant duly endorsed.

Later on the same date a request was received from M.I. 5 that [Paula Sara ZLOCZOWER] German, Serial No. E.Z. 347771 and [Elsa BASS] German, Serial No. E.Z. 317213, both of whom were residing with Glucksmann at 507 Collingwood House, S.W. be detained and conveyed to Holloway Prison.

At 9 p.m. 17/5/40, Sergeant Challoner in company with Sergeant Gagen and Woman Constable Baber, arrested

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two last mentioned persons and subsequently took
to Holloway Prison as directed. The premises
were further searched but nothing of importance was
found.

William Rogers

Inspector.

J. Thompson
Superintendent.

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Observation on this man has now been discontinued.

H. H. Wheeler.

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With Colonel Hinchley Cooke and Inspector Rogers interviewed GLUCKSMANN at the Oratory Schools on the afternoon of his arrest - 17th May 1940.

GLUCKSMANN was in a highly nervous condition; wept at intervals, and drank large quantities of water. Colonel Hinchley Cooke opened the interview by asking him who he was and questioning him closely on the subject of his birth certificate. GLUCKSMANN appeared extraordinarily rattled and said he was too confused and upset to be able to answer questions properly.

Asked the name of his father, he said, after a great deal of thought that it was Moritz GLUCKSMANN, a wholesale clothing merchant of Vienna who died at the age of 73 in 1928: the name on the birth certificate is actually Moses. Tackled on this, he said he could not remember but he thought Moses and Moritz were the same name.

At this stage Colonel Hinchley Cooke asked him "what do you do when you are not working for the 4th Department". He expressed great indignation and said "I have nothing to do with that organisation". Asked what the organisation was, he said "it is an espionage bureau". Asked quickly how he knew of this, he thought for a long time, wept, and then said he had seen it on the pictures. Some time later I asked what films he had seen dealing with the 4th Department: he said he did not know but he had seen some dealing with the Deuxième Bureau and he thought this was what we meant.

Asked by Colonel Hinchley Cooke to explain what he did with the £1,000 cash for which a cheque to self was found amongst his business papers, he said it was his money and for a long time refused any explanation. Pressed, he said he took it in a suitcase to France to his wife to pay her household expenses. Pressed again later he said he used it to pay his personal and office expenses in London which he always paid in cash. Asked again still later he said he paid it in Paris to a representative. [After a long time he agreed to write down the name of the representative and gave ^{Mr. KNOBIL} 4 rue de la Rochefaucauld, Paris 9. He also gave the address of his wife and particulars of his children as written on the attached sheet of paper.]

He said he could not produce his passport as he had left it in Paris in exchange for a 'sauf conduit' from the French police. He was in a highly nervous condition throughout the interview. He said he was a Jew, and for that reason could not remember when his father was born as his father kept a Jewish birthday, but he could not remember either the Jewish birthday. He has none of the characteristics of a Jew either in appearance or mannerisms. Colonel Hinchley Cooke says that his German is not that of an Austrian or of a German.

GLUCKSMANN said he had only been to Russia for three weeks in his life.

He was told he had better think things over and decide whether he was going to tell us the truth or not, and we would see him again later.

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18.5.40.

for K.H. Cooke
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Names and addresses given by GLUCKSMANN.

LA Bourboulle (Puy de Lôme)

Villa "La Roche Fleurié"

France

Martha	wife	}	b. Prague	8/3/03	née Bass	{ married Hamburg 1934 (G.)
Eliza			b. 4.5.24	Jerusalem		{ adopted in Hamburg
Miriam			b. 9.8.28	"		
Yusuf Andis			b. Boulogne	9/sept	19.6.37	own son

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 Pichepueault 2/oga (Languedoc)
 Paris 9. X

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John - m. Law Bass
 Olga

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Father: Prof - Glücksmann
from Czernowitz

73 in 1928

Wholesale
Merchant -
Clothing &c
Kreuz II
Schneegauer Ho

Mother: Caroline S. née Friedmann
born Siegen ? 20 June
60 in 1919

From
Kreuz
Schneegauer

Information volunteered during a conversation
with

GLUCKSMANN - Rubin

Left Cernauti at the age of 2.

Was brought up in Vienna, where apparently his parents sold clothes and "galanterie" wholesale on the instalment plan.

4 Years at the Gymnasium.

3 Years at a technical School.

Worked in Vienna, Venice.

Then in Hamburg ran the Schwartz u. Ostsee Versicherungs Gesellschaft. This firm apparently insured freight - and underwrote? In this way there was a business association with Ostwag. "Germany's biggest importer of Oriental goods."

Glucksmann's partner - Czloczauer (spelling?) - was more intimately connected with Ostwag.

(G. said that the Mongolian part of O. was run by a man named John Dain or Deyn)

After Hitler Czloczauer went to Paris and advised G. to follow him. Together they started the Societe de Commerce d'Outre-Mer. This was liquidated in March 1938.

However, in Jan. 1938 the Far Eastern Fur Co. was founded. By Niemkoff in Paris and Czloczauer in London. Since G. had family in Paris, he took over £1,000 in notes. Later he said it was for payment to some company. Not very precise as to what company.

Shanghai. The only person G. knows there is S. Albin, an independant general merchant.

G. thinks Purpiss is a Latvian.

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P.S. G. Has a brother in Santiago(?) Chile.

Recd. 18.5.40.

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PF.46551/B.4.

18th May, 1940.

Dear Clayton,

With reference to the internment order for Rubin GLUCKSMANN, an Austrian, operating for the Soviet Military Intelligence Department, this man was arrested by the police yesterday morning. They found with him two German women - Paula Sara ZLOCZOWER Ser.No.EZ.347771, and Elsa BASS, Ser.No.317213.

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The police officers who arrested GLUCKSMANN were strongly of opinion that the two women found with him were, from their demeanour, concerned in his nefarious activities, and one of them proved to be the niece of Usher ZLOCZOWER, mentioned in our letter of 11th May 1940.

I considered it urgently necessary that these two women should not remain at large during what will I am afraid be long investigations into this important case, and I, therefore, asked Special Branch to arrange for their immediate internment.

Yours sincerely,

(sd) Jatt

L. W. Clayton Esq.,
Home Office.

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PF. 46551/B.4.

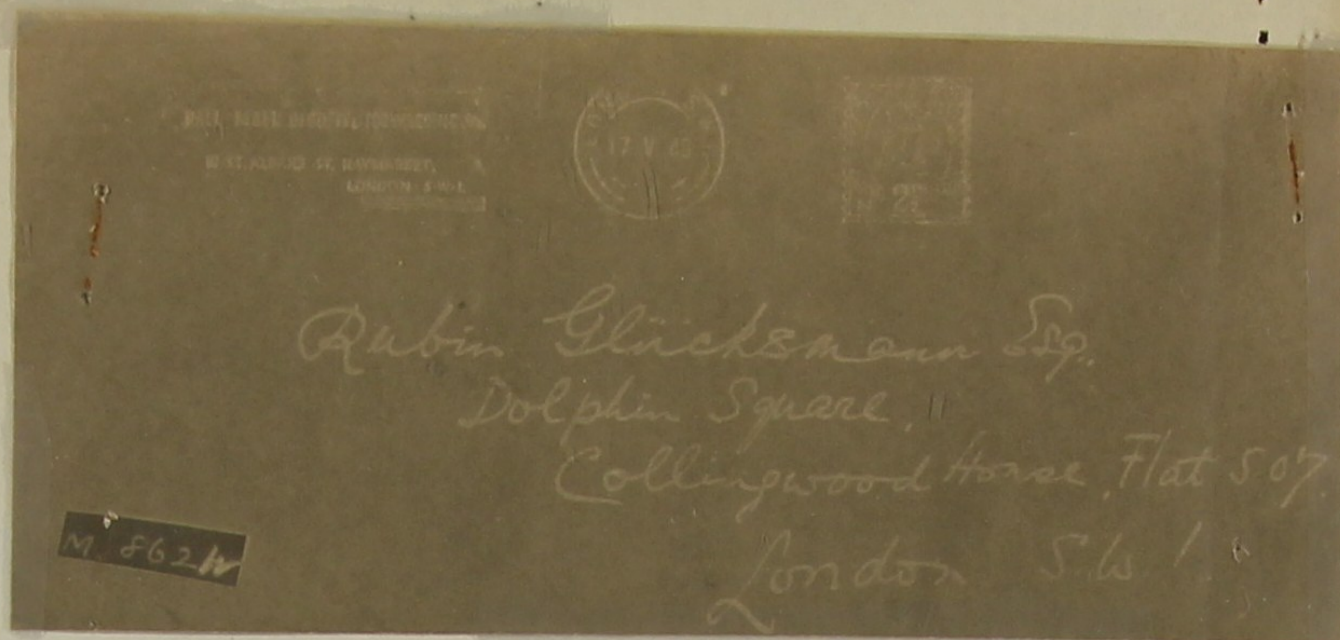
Please suspend the operation of the H. O. W. relating to the
undernamed person. Cancellation has been applied for.

Name Central 6776.

Address The Far Eastern Fur Trading Company, Ltd.

Date 18.5.40.

Signature K. H. H. A.



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16th May 1940.

Rubin Glücksmann Esq.,
Dolphin Square,
Collingwood House,
Flat 507
London. S.W.1.

Dear Sir,

Mrs Hedwig Friedmann asked us to submit to your care the certificate of Insurance (War Risk) until such time as she notifies you of her safe arrival in New York.

Yours faithfully,
M. McLaren.

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Int. letter to GLUCKSMANN from Hedda ^{C.I.} ~~RECORDED~~ FRIEDMANN
~~2-2 MAR 1960~~

Dated 15.5.40 Giving her address in U.S.A.

C/O ELIASBERG, ^{NYLT}
73, Peyson Avenue, ^{NY}
New York.

P.M. ✓
22/5

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HOME OFFICE (ALIENS DEPARTMENT),
CLELAND HOUSE,
PAGE STREET,

G. 9564.

LONDON, S.W.1.
P.O. BOX NO. 100,
PADDDINGTON DISTRICT OFFICE,
LONDON, W.2.

16th May, 1940.

Dear Liddell,

With reference to your letter of
the 11th May (PF.46551/S.L.), we
are to-day instructing the Commissioner
to intern Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

Yours sincerely,

R. A. Rumbelow

Captain G. M. Liddell.

✓

14th May, 1940.

80A

Re:- Rubin Glucksmann.

From discreet enquiry made it was ascertained that the woman, whom the above man was seen to accompany to No. 395. Oxford Street, is identical with [Mrs Vera Dew,] the occupant of Flat No. 7, at that address.

PF 4 2020

card in
PF 4 2020

Mrs Dew, who is the wife of Wing Commander Dew, R.A.F. (retired), is residing there alone. She is said to visit Clubs and to be frequently seen in the company of foreigners.

PF 4 2020

Wing Commander Dew is believed to be in an Administrative post at the present time.

Y.M.

per -

✓

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card in
pf 42020

She is the wife of Wing Commander DEW, R.A.F. who is retired from the R.A.F. but re-employed on the clerical staff of a Government department. He is not actually living at the flat with Mrs.DEW.

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{B. 4.} \\ \hline 14.5.40. \end{array}$$

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SECRET

copy filed in PF 49542. (Loewenheim
 copy in P.F. 54396. (brothers.)

~~10/10~~

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P.F. 46551/B.4.

13th May, 1940.

Dear Mr. Foster,

PF 49542

258(757) We have today asked for internment orders against three Germans - Walter LOEWENHEIM, 82 Cromwell Avenue, N.6, Ernst LOEWENHEIM, 70 Anson Road, N.7, [Bruno KARTHAUSER] 70 Anson Road, N.7 - one Austrian - Rubin GLUCKSMANN, 507 Collingwood House, Dolphin Square, S.W.1 - and one British subject of Russian parentage - Kate RINK, 24a Hillfield Park, N.10 - who is secretary to Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

PF 54396.

Rubin GLUCKSMANN and [Kate RINK] are "pet cases of mine" and I am only putting them up for internment because of the technical difficulties of obtaining sufficient evidence of espionage against them to bring them before the Courts.

The LOEWENHEIMS and KARTHAUSER are a separate case, but I feel that they may be in some way connected with GLUCKSMANN.

When you get the internment orders from the Home Office I wonder if you would kindly let me know, so that I can explain the case to you or the officers doing the search.

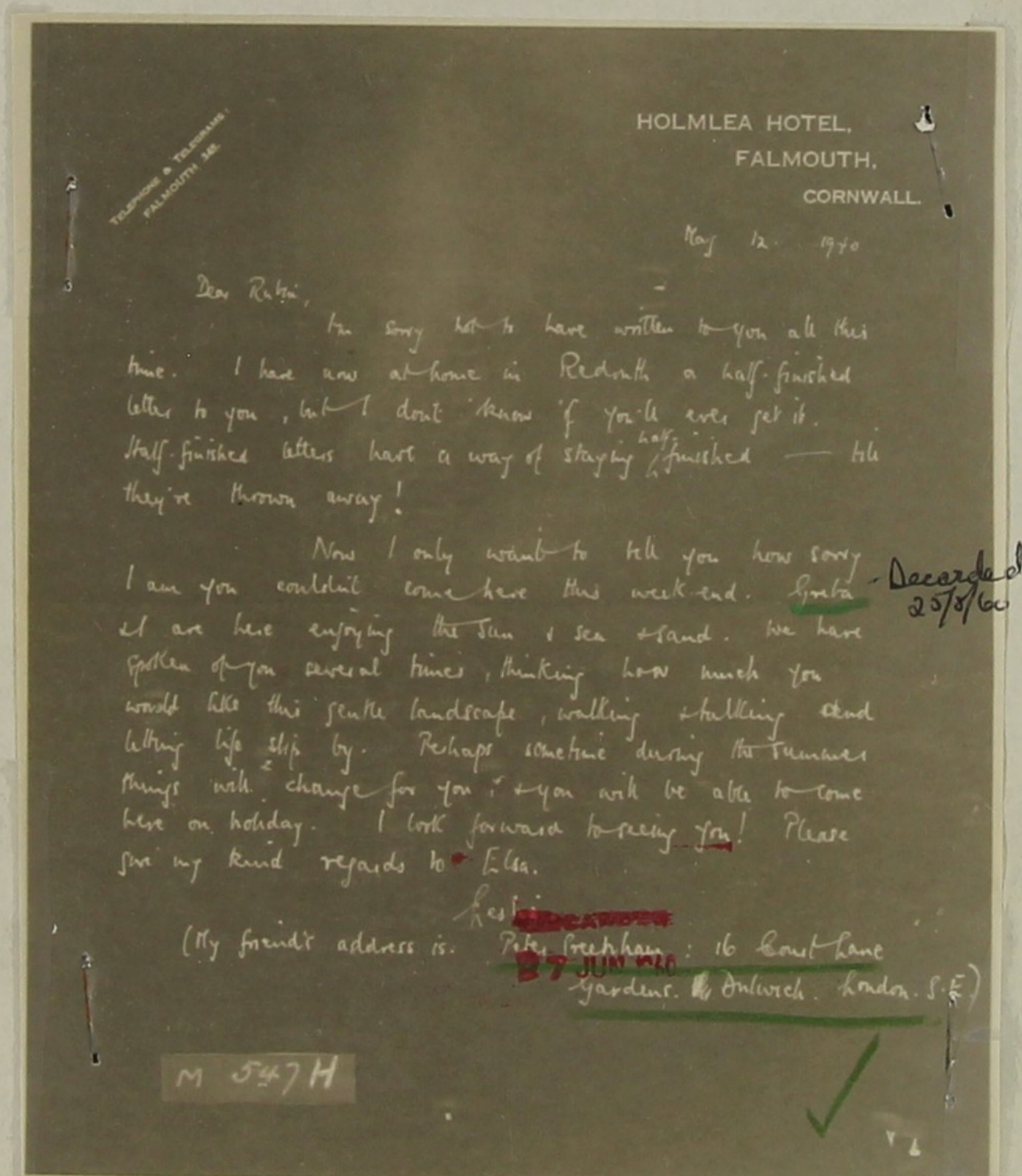
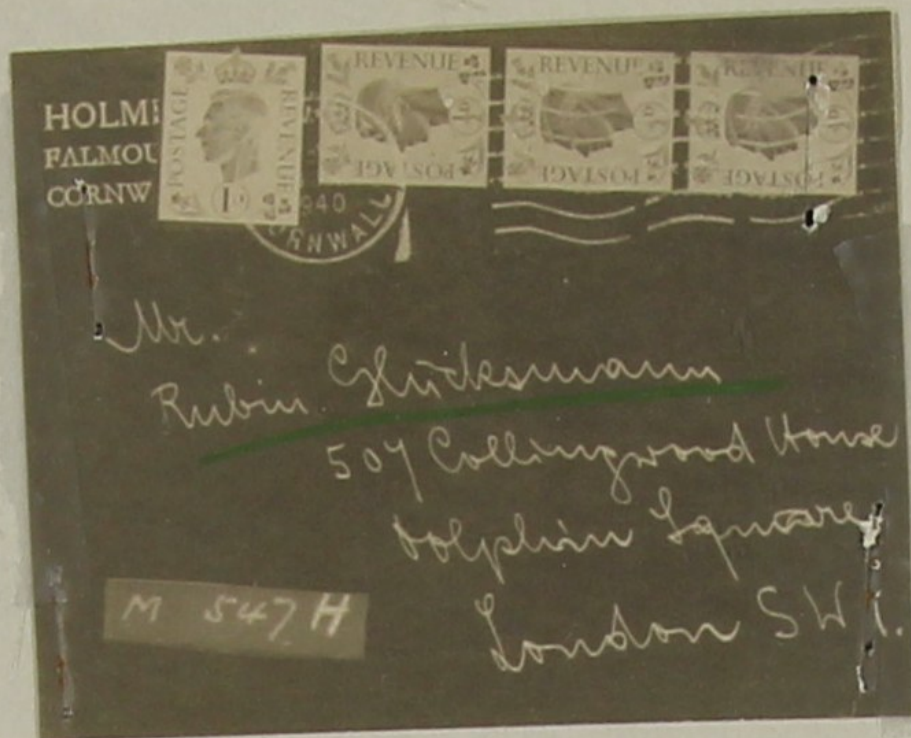
Yours sincerely,

K. L. A. H.

Superintendent A.G. Foster,
 Special Branch.

P.M.

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SECRET

Copy in P.F. 54396

PF.46551/S.L.

11th May 1940

Dear

*R. Rubelow*Rubin GLUCKSMANN

We have reliable information in our possession that the FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING COMPANY of 82, Upper Thames Street, E.C.4, is one of a number of interlocking companies, ostensibly non-Soviet in character, but all actually serving the interests of the Soviet Government, and financed, directed and controlled by such Government.

It has now been definitely established that the FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING COMPANY in London is used as a cover for Soviet Military espionage directed against this country. It has also been established that the late director, Aron Zelig EHRENLIEN, and his assistant, Usher ZLOEZOVER, who left this country on the 4th July 1937 and on the 14th April 1938 respectively, were in fact members of the Fourth Department of the Soviet Military Intelligence Service.

The present London director of the Company is Rubin GLUCKSMANN, holder of Austrian passport No. 4457/2, issued in Hamburg on the 19th October 1934. This man appeared before his Tribunal and was exempted from all restrictions. Full particulars with regard to him will be available in his Home Office file.

From investigations which we have made it appears that no genuine business is being done by the FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING COMPANY and that the staff consists of GLUCKSMANN and a typist, one Kate RINK, a British subject of Russian parentage. From the information in our possession it is quite clear that Kate RINK is GLUCKSMANN'S confidential secretary and must be aware of all the underground activities conducted under cover of the Company.

GLUCKSMANN is not a refugee, and having regard to the information set out above I think you will agree with me that it is most desirable that he should be interned at once under the Royal Prerogative.

*Yours sincerely**G. T. Liddell*



Telephone: HEADquarters
 Telegrams: Postaff, Cent, London

J.B.
 PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT,
 GENERAL POST OFFICE,
 LONDON, E.C. 1.

Your Reference
 P.O. Reference

10.5.40

Mrs Archer.

To see attached report.
 of *Frederick Stone* has accordingly
 been added to 'Gluckmann' check

R. H. H. H.



*P. H.
 13/5*

The Personnel Dept
IB

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Re the check for
any name 507 Collingwood House
papers IB 35808 refer. I understand
that some of the residents at
No 507. used to reside at
504 Froisher House. to which
letters so addressed would be
delivered.

The letting office
at this address would hand
such correspondence to
507 Collingwood Hse. and
by this method the identity
of letters would be lost

A Wilson
oversees IA
8470 9 May 40

PO

S 280.

Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

Born: 19.5.1889 in Austria.

Occupation: Company Director.

Addresses: 507 Collingwood House,
Dolphin Square, S.W.1.

The Far Eastern Fur Trading Co.,
82 Upper Thames Street,
E.C.4.

Since June 1938 we have received reliable information that the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., was one of a number of interlocking companies, ostensibly non-Soviet in character, but all actually serving the interests of the Soviet Government and financed, directed and controlled by them.

It has now been definitely established that the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. in London is a cover for Soviet Military espionage directed against the United Kingdom. It has also been established that the late director - Aron Zelig EHRENLIIEB - and his assistant Usher ZLOEZOWER, who left this country on 4.7.37 and 14.4.38 respectively, were in fact members of the 4th Department of the Soviet Military Intelligence Service.

The present London director is Rubin GLUCKSMANN, holder of Austrian passport No.4457/235 issued Hamburg 19.10.34. He does not come in the category of a refugee, and is exempted from all restrictions as a non-refugee Austrian subject.

Investigations are proceeding as regards the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., and so far it appears that no genuine business is being done by the firm, and that the staff consists purely of GLUCKSMANN and a typist - Kate RINK - a British subject of Russian parentage. It has been established that Kate RINK is surreptitiously closely in touch with communist circles.

While these investigations have been in progress we have received information which we regard as completely reliable that GLUCKSMANN is in fact an agent of the 4th Department of the Soviet Military Intelligence Service.

It had been hoped to continue the investigations in order that we might inform ourselves fully of his activities and his organisation, but in view of the present situation and the difficulties that are likely to arise in pursuing our enquiries, it is requested that an internment order should be issued without delay together with a request to the police for a thorough search of both his private and office address.

As regards the typist Kate RINK, an internment order under Section 18b is requested for her also, and a thorough search of her private address - 24a Hillfield Park, London, N.10.

SECRET

Telephone Nos.

SHEPHERD'S BUSH 5391-2
CORN 3286-7BOX NO. 500,
PARLIAMENT STREET, B.C.
LONDON, S.W.1.

F.46551/B.4.

Personal

9 May 1940.

My dear Maxwell

I put up herewith a request for a telephone check on Central 6776.

This is the telephone number of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., 82 Upper Thames Street, E.C.4, which we know to be a cover for Soviet military espionage.

The only persons employed by the firm are an individual posing as an Austrian, exempted by the Tribunal from all restrictions, and a woman typist, a British subject of Russian parentage.

*Yours sincerely
O. S. Bell*

Sir Alexander Maxwell, KCB., KBE.,
Home Office.

My dear Bell

Could you give us some particulars about the "Austrian"? Is there any case for interfering with or restricting him?

Grant has been signed.

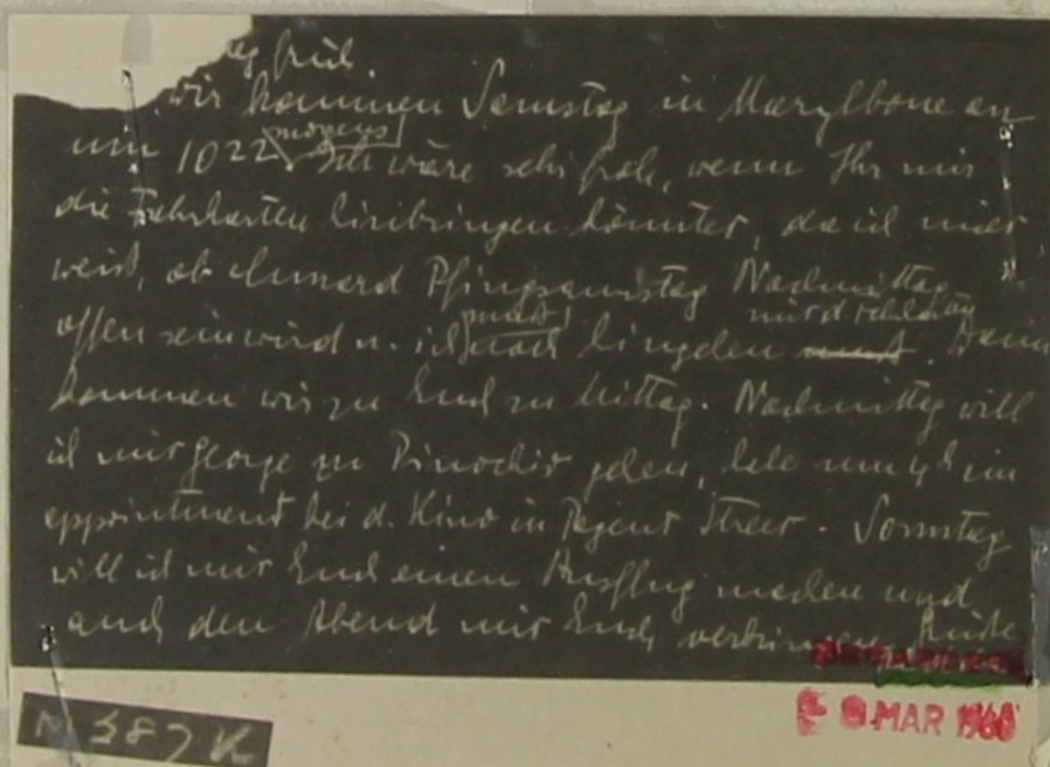
*Yours faithfully
J. W. Hamilton*

~~10515~~
72A

P.C. to Mr. Rubin GLUCKSMANN

From Pedda(?)

"We are arriving at Marylebone at 10.22 a.m. I should be very glad if you could bring the tickets with you as I don't know if Cunard will be open on Whit Saturday afternoon" In the afternoon writer is going to Pinnocchio with George. On Sunday the writer will go an expedition with GLUCKSMANN and spend the evening with them.



SECRET

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F.46551/B.4.

9th May, 1940.

Personal & Confidential.

Dear Colonel Vivian,

P.R.R. Would you please refer to pages 11-13 of the [KRIVITSKY] memorandum which I sent you on 29.4.40, in regard to the affairs of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. here and the activities of the SHREINLIEB brothers and Rubin GLUCKSMANN. The Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. was also the subject of our letter under the above number of 22.7.38.

I am having intensive investigations into the activities of Rubin GLUCKSMANN and trying to link up all his contacts. I have today had an intercepted letter to him beginning "Dear Rubin" from the Novelties Trading Co. Representations-Import-Export, 39 Avenue Edward VII (C.F.C. Building) Shanghai. The letter appears to be purely business, though couched in friendly terms; the signature is illegible. It would seem quite probable that this is another firm formed for the purpose of Soviet political or military espionage, and we would be very grateful if you could obtain for us particulars of how it is constituted. We have no trace of the firm in our records.

Yours sincerely,

K. L. H. A.

Lt.-Colonel V. Vivian, C.B.E.,
S.I.S.

AB
5/16/40

SECRET.

9th May 1940.

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To the Postmaster-General, and all others whom it may concern

I hereby authorize and require you to record all
telephone conversations on the telephone line number

Central 6776

and to produce the record for my inspection;

And for so doing this shall be your sufficient Warrant.

One of His Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

The subscriber to this telephone number is known to
be the cover for a foreign espionage organisation.

PF.46551/B.4.

SECRET

~~TEA~~
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.F.46551/B.4.

Personal

9 May 1940.

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This is the telephone number of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., 82 Upper Thames Street, E.C.4, which we know to be a cover for Soviet military espionage.

The only persons employed by the firm are an individual posing as an Austrian, exempted by the Tribunal from all restrictions, and a woman typist, a British subject of Russian parentage.

MA

Sir Alexander Maxwell, KCB., KBE.,
Home Office.

AB
5/6/40

S. Form 61.

HOME OFFICE RECORDS.
-----eoe-----

REFERENCE NO : PF.46551/

SECTION : B.4.

NAME (in full) Edith MEYER.

NATIONALITY ?German.

AGE 38

OTHER PARTICULARS At present in England. Redoubt.
W. Cornwall arrived 27.1.39 in UK.

S.3a.

Is there any trace of the above in

- (1) H.O. Traffic Index.
- ~~SKT~~ (2) ~~H.O. Aliens Branch.~~
- (3) Central Aliens Registry.

If so, I should like

- (a) Copy of last card in Traffic Index. ✓
- (b) ~~Copies of all cards since~~
- ~~SKT~~ (c) ~~To see H.O. Papers.~~ H.15771 2/8/5
- (d) Copy of card in Central Aliens Registry.

(Signature)

P.M. for K.M.M.A.

4.5.40.

NOTE.

Please strike out any items not required.

Unless absolutely necessary Officers should not
requisition copies of BACK CARDS in Traffic Index
as this involves extra work for H.O. Registry Staff.

Please will you identify from these
any CAR?
Please see attached

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68a

NOTE.—This form is to be used only when the original document cannot be forwarded to Registry. Only one name may appear on each form.

REQUEST FOR LOOK-UP.

REGISTRY. Please look-up undermentioned and * Attach further papers.
* If NT make a file.

Section.....B.2.a..... Signature.....FMM for JCR..... Date.....5.7.49.....

* Delete if inapplicable.

DECLARED

MEYER Edith Sarah

ime.....

ldress.....1939: West Cornwall & Redruth Hospital, Redruth.....

.....Reg. No.....

ationality.....German.....born on.....2.3.1900.....at.....Soest.....Occ.....Nurse.....

urther.....Arrived U.K. 27.1.39 to take up nursing. Passport No. 635
issued Hamburg 12.1.39. Carded in PF.46551 - any further traces
articulars.....please?.....

RESULT OF LOOK-UP.

FILE herewith ☒ or OUT to—

Edith Sarah
OPPENHEIMER
46551, V.2.CS. V.1.CS. E.4. Papers

Signature.....PNC..... Date.....6.7.49.....

Continue overleaf if necessary.

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Vol 2 B2A 5/7

Conn. by

RESULT OF LOOK-UP.

FILE herewith ✓ c

[Handwritten signature]

[Handwritten signature]

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Extract from H.O. file M.15771 for MEYER, Edith.

Nationality German
Born Soest, 2.3.1900.

Address in Germany: Hamburg Eppendorferlandstr. 18.
Passport No.635, Hamburg 12.1.39.

Edith Sara MEYER applied to take up nursing to the International Council of Nurses, 51, Palace Street, S.W.1. She was appointed as staff nurse at a salary of £70 a year to the West Cornwall and Redruth Hospital.

- 30.12.38 She was granted a visa for 12 months for the U.K. Ministry of Health informed by H.O. that MEYER was permitted to take up work in the U.K. as a nurse.
- 27.1.39 MEYER landed in the U.K.
- 28.10.39 MEYER exempted from internment and restrictions by the Cornwall District Tribunal. Reason being given as:-

"After examining this case I came to the conclusion that this alien was a genuine refugee and friendly disposed towards this country and the interests of national security would not be prejudiced by her being allowed to remain at large and by the removal of the special restrictions under Act 6(a) and 9(a) of the Aliens Order, 1920 as amended".

Minutes

9.5.40 M.I.5. request fps.

ARRIVAL.

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Copy of Card in Traffic Index.Port of Embarkation
abroad

Hamburg

Name MEYER, Edith Sara

DECARDED

18 JUN 1954

Age 38 Sex f

Names and ages of dependents
under 16 accompanying

Occupation nurse (Hospital)

Nationality German Nationality at Birth

Proposed address in United Kingdom

Redpath - West Amwell
miners & Woman's hospital

Stamp No

12

Port

S' (H)

Date

27-1-39

Description of passenger
and class travelled

O A

Other information

pp. ha. 635- Hamburg 12-1-39.

pp. ha. 3025 2-3-00.

Visa 15-26 Hamburg

ST 12-1-39. visits 12 months to U.K.

and by H.O. no 15771. under ? R.

not to remain more than 12 months.

(S.O.4380) Wt.22170/386 5.000 (2) 8/38 C.T. Gp.680

(S.O.5627) Wt.4226/615 20,000 (1) 2/39

67A
S. Form 61.HOME OFFICE RECORDS.
-----OOO-----

REFERENCE NO : P.F.46551.

SECTION : B.4.

NAME (in full) *Margaret* Grete GLUCKSMANN. **RECORDED**
25 AUG 1940

NATIONALITY ? German.

AGE

OTHER PARTICULARS

At present in this country.

S.3a.

Is there any trace of the above in

- (1) H.O. Traffic Index.
- (2) H.O. Aliens Branch.
- (3) Central Aliens Registry.

If so, I should like

- (a) Copy of last card in Traffic Index.
- (b) ~~Copies of all cards since~~ *G 5171 req 8/5*
- (c) To see H.O. Papers. *H.O. G 12897 req 8/5*
- (d) Copy of card in Central Aliens Registry.

(Signature) F.M.S.

8.5.40.

NOTE.

Please strike out any items not required.

Unless absolutely necessary Officers should not
requisition copies of BACK CARDS in Traffic Index
as this involves extra work for H.O. Registry Staff.

Please see attached

405. Wt.19824/919. 100 Pads. 7/39 Wy L.P. Gp. 676.

CENTRAL REGISTER OF ALIENS

LIVE SECTION.

Extract of Particulars of Registration.

Card dated.....

Name

GLUCKSMANN Margarete

alias.....

Nationality

German

(previously

Austrian)

Born

7.1.1905

in

Vienna

Occupation

None

Arrived U.K.

23.2.39

Left U.K.....

Re-entered U.K.....

Passport

German passport 82806 Vienna 23.1.39

Registration District

Cornwall

{ I.B. or R.C.

708722

{ Ser. No.....

Address*

The West Cornwall Miners &
Women's Hospital, Redruth (7.3.39)

Remarks

C/L to register with police
on not stay longer than 12 months.* Changes of address *within* the Registration District are not notified to the Central Register.

ARRIVAL.Copy of Card in Traffic Index.Port of Embarkation
abroad

ROTTERDAM

Name GLUCKSMANN. Margarete.Age 34. Sex W.Names and ages of dependents
under 16 accompanyingOccupation NurseNationality German. Nationality at Birth Bn. 7.1.1905 Vienna.Proposed address in United Kingdom Redruth Hospital W. CornwallI.O. Stamp No 3. Port CROYDON. Date 23.2.39Description of passenger
and class travelled OA.Other information Ppt. 82806 Vienna 23.1.39.V.M. 61569 V 8.2.39.V of 12 mths to UK. UK to register with policenot to remain longer than 12 mths

~~100~~ 67A

Extract from H.O. file No. G.12897 for GLUCKSMANN, Margarete.

Nationality: German.
Born 7.1.05 at Vienna

GLUCKSMANN applied to the International Council of Nurses to come to England and take up work as a nurse. She stated that she knew Rubin GLUCKSMANN, Hotel Mount Royal, Oxford Street, and Dr. Phoebus Tuttnauer, 6, Knightsbridge Court, Sloane Street, SW1. She was appointed as staff nurse to West Cornwall Miners' and Women's Hospital, Redruth.

30.12.38 Visa for the U.K. authorised for Margarete GLUCKSMANN. Ministry of Health informed that GLUCKSMANN was coming to the U.K. to take up work as a nurse and a visa for her had been authorised.

23.2.39 GLUCKSMANN arrived in the U.K. with ppt.no.82806. Vienna 23.1.39.

21.10.39 GLUCKSMANN exempted from internment and restrictions by Cornwall District Tribunal. Reason:-

"After examining this case I came to the conclusion that this alien was a genuine refugee and friendly disposed towards this country and the interests of national security would not be prejudiced by her being allowed to remain at large and by the removal of the special restrictions under Act 6(a) and 9(a) of the Aliens Order, 1920, as amended."

Minutes

9.5.40 M.I.5. request fps.

VOLUME 1

MINUTE SHEET.

Reference..... PF. 46551 Vol.1.

1.

.6.38.

From American Embassy re activities of Far Eastern Trading Co.

1a.

2.

3.6.38.

Copies of Traffic Index Cards for EHRENLIEB, GLUCKSMANN & ZLOCZOWER in answer to our request of 11.6.38.

2a.

3.

4.6.38.

To American Embassy in reply to 1a re FAR EASTERN TRADING CO.

3a.

4.

0.6.38.

From American Embassy further to 3a re FAR EASTERN TRADING CO.

4a.

5.

6.7.38.

From American Embassy giving information from Washington re EASTERN TRADING CO.

5a.

6.

2.7.38.

To American Embassy re EHRENLIEB, ZLOCZOWER and PURPISS, further to 5a re FAR EASTERN TRADING CO.

6a.

7.

2.7.38.

To S.I.S. requesting observation on the commercial cables of the FAR EASTERN TRADING CO.

7a.

8.

7.7.38.

From S.B. in reply to our request of 21.7.38 for A.R.C. of ZLOCZOWER. 8a.

8.8.38.

From S.B. enclosing copy of registration card and photograph of GLUCKSMANN. 8b.

8.8.38.

From S.B. enclosing copy of registration card and photograph of EHRENLIEB. 8c.

(1577) 50839/1245

1,000,000 3/40 JC&SLtd

Gp644/229

(REGIMENT)

CODE 5-34-0

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9.

3.8.38. From S.I.S. in reply to 7a enclosing copy of int.cable from FAR EASTERN TRADING CO. dated 28.7.45. to ZLOCZOWER.

9a.

10.

3.8.38. Copy of int.commercial cable from FAR EASTERN TRADING CO. to ZLOCZOWER.

10a.

11.

9.8.38. From American Embassy in reply to 6a re FAR EASTERN TRADING CO.

11a.

12.

Transferred to PF 98940: Auth. JRK/D3.
~~10.8.38. Extract from H.O. File E.1591 for EHRENLIEN in reply to our request.~~

12a.

13.

10.8.38. G.P.O. asked for list of letters on EHRENLIEN, ZLOCZOWER, GLUCKSMANN or "Any Name" c/o F.E.FUR TRADING CO., 82, Upper Thames St., E.C.

14.

10.8.38. G.P.O. asked for list of letters of GLUCKSMANN, Mount Royal, Marble Arch.

15.

A.2.c.

Would you kindly insert green cards for Aron Zelig EHRENLIEN and Uscher ZLOCZOWER.

B.4.b.
 10.8.38.

(sgd) T.S. for K.M.M.S.

16.

B.4.b.

Green Cards inserted for EHRENLIEN and ZLOCZOWER.

A.2.c.
 10.8.38.

(sgd) ??

MINUTE SHEET.

Reference.....

17.

1.8.38. To H.O. returning file for EHRENLIEB. See 12a.

18.

Note.

S.I.S. rang up to ask if we still wanted to see the commercial cables of FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING CO. I asked that they should be continued for a month.

(sgd) ? ?

B.4.b.
22.8.38.

19.

6.8.38. Result of R/C. on EHRENLIEB, ZLOCZOWER or GLUCKSMANN or "Any Name" c/o. FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING CO., 82 Upper Thames St. requested at Min. 13. R/C. from 12.8.38. 19a.

20.

7.8.38. Result of R/C. on GLUCKSMANN, Mount Royal, Marble Arch, W.1. from 27.8.38 in reply to 14a. 20a.

21.

Note.

Miss Taylor, S.I.S., rang up with reference to Minute 48 to know if we still wanted to see the commercial cables of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. I said that for the present we would prefer to suspect the interception of these cables, and would communicate with them further on the matter in due course.

B.4.b.
21.9.38.

(sgd) D.G.W.

22.

9.9.38. From American Embassy re FEIERABEND and PURPISS. 22a.

23.

29.10.38. To American Embassy in reply to 22a re visit of PURPISS to U.K.

23a.

24.

24.2.39. From American Embassy in reply to 23a re PURPISS and mentioning Oriental Trading & Engineering Copr.

24a.

25.

7.11.39. C/R. to letter from Major Norman LEITH HAY CLARK giving extract re confusion of correspondence between Far Eastern FUR trading Co. and Far Eastern Trading Co.

25a.

26.

4.1.40. B.6 asked for list of directors of FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING CO.

27.

18.1.40. From B.6. forwarding particulars of the FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING CO. in reply to Min.26.

27a.

28.

~~5.2.1940.~~

6.2.40.

Transferred to PF 98 941 EHREN LIEB
~~Extract from report on interview with KRIVITSKY men. EHREN LIEB.~~
 "N.T." reply from H.O. to request for Traffic Index card for EHREN LIEB.

28x.

28a.

29.

6.2.40. Copy of T.I.Card for ZLOCZOWER in reply to our request of 6.2.40.

29a.

30.

6.2 40. Copy of T.I.Card for GLUCKSMANN in reply to our request of 6.2.40.

30a.

31.

14.3.40. Extract from H.O. File G.9564 for GLUCKSMANN, Rubin in reply to our request of 11.3.40. H.O. File returned 13.7.40.

31a.

MINUTE SHEET.

Reference.....

32.

15.3.40.

H.O.papers for EHRENLIEB requisitioned.

32a.

33.

27.3.40.

H.O.File for EHRENLIEB returned minuted as at 32a.

34.

8.4.40.

To B.6. requesting information re offices of F.E.FUR TRADING CO.

34a.

35.

8.4.40.

Copy of T.I.Card for Martha GLUCKSMANN in reply to our request of 8.4.40.

35a.

36.

17.4.40.

From B.6. in reply to 34a attaching report giving particulars of company and result of observation kept on woman typist.

36a.

37.

Spoke B.6. who are continuing observation on the woman typist (36a). They are also having observation on GLUCKSMANN.

B.4.
19.4.40.

(sgd) F.M.Small.

38.

22.4.40.

From B.6. re result of observation kept on Kate RINK further to 36a.

38a.

39.

22.4.40.

Further report from B.6. re Kate RINK.

39a.

(1577) 50839/1245
1,000,000 3/40 JC&SLtd
Cp644/229
(REGIMINT)
CODE 5-34-0

[OVER]

40.

Telephoned G.P.O. and imposed H.O.W. on Any Name, 24a, Hillfield Park, N.10.

B.4.
22.4.40.

(sgd) P.M. for K.M.M. Archer.

41.

22.4.40. R/C. taken out on "Any Name", 37, Lambs Conduit St.

41a.

42.

23.4.45. Int. letter to Jennie RINK from "Ruth".

42a.

43.

B. 8A 16

24A, Hillfield Park, N.10. is the address of GLUCKSMANN's typist who is a British born subject of Russian origin. GLUCKSMANN is a director of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. Ltd., an organisation which is, I am sure, being used for espionage.

H.O.W. submitted for signature if approved.

B.4.
23.4.40.

K.M.M. Archer

44.

24.4.40. H.O.W. imposed on "Any Name", 24a, Hillfield Park, London, N.10.

44a.

45.

B. 8A 14

GLUCKSMANN is director of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. Ltd., an organisation which is being used for espionage. He is also an experienced military espionage agent of a foreign power.

B.4.
28.4.40.

P.M. for K. M. M. Archer

MINUTE SHEET.

Reference.....

46.

8.4.40.

H.O.W. imposed on Rubin GLUCKSMANN and the FAR EASTERN TRADING Co. Ltd.

46a.

8.4.40.

To S.B. forwarding H.O.W. on GLUCKSMANN.

46b.

47.

9.4.40.

Int. letter from Martha GLUCKSMANN to Rubin GLUCKSMANN and letters dated 28.4.40. from Martha and Nicky GLUCKSMANN, enclosed.

47a.

48.

9.4.40.

From B.6 re further result of observation on RINK.

48a.

49.

9.4.40.

B.6. observation report on Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

49a.

50.

.5.40.

Int. letter to GLUCKSMANN from Edith MEYER.

50a.

51.

B.6 16

37, Lambs Conduit Street is an address which was visited by GLUCKSMANN's typist, Kate RINK.

I have found out by a return of correspondence that there is a Mrs. Angela PILLEY living at this address, who is identical with a woman who was secretary of the Bristol Committee for the Defence of Spanish Democracy. I believe she is also the wife of John PILLEY, a lecturer at Bristol University, who is a member of the Communist Party and who visited Russia in 1931 on the same boat as Edith WHOMACK.

An H.O.W. would give us a line on these people's contacts and perhaps their connection with GLUCKSMANN.

H.O.W. submitted for signature, if approved.

B.4.
2.5.40.

Flender

52.

2.5.40. Result of R/C. on "Any Name" 37, Lambs Conduit St., W.C.1.
from 24.4.40.

52a.

53.

2.5.45. Int.letters from Elen and Michael KRAUTHAMER to GLUCKSMANN.

53a.

54.

3.5.40. Int.letter from Grete GLUCKSMANN to Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

54a.

55.

3.5.40. Int.letter from Lilly R. to Kitty RINK.

55a.

56.

4.5.40. To G.P.O.requesting name of subscriber to Finchley 0707.

56a.

57.

4.5.40. To G.P.O. requesting alteration of H.O.W.on GLUCKSMANN to
GLUCKSMANN or "Any Name", 507, Collingwood House, Dolphin Sq.,
S.W.1.

57a.

58.

4.5.40. Int.postcard from Alisi and Marthe to GLUCKSMANN.

58a.

59.

6.5.40. From B.6. re observation on GLUCKSMANN.

59a.

60.

6.5.40. Int.letter from Marthe GLUCKSMANN to GLUCKSMANN enclosing
letters from Micky and Le Bureau de l'Enregistrement, 5eme.
Bureau des Societes forwarding account.

60a.



ADMINISTRATION OF ENEMY PROPERTY DEPARTMENT

(Treasury and Board of Trade) Branch 3

Telephone No.: CHA.
4411 PF.46551/B4B.

Telegraphic Address:

"TRADEENEMY, WEST-CENT, LONDON."

HOLB

(Any reply should be addressed to "The
Controller-General" and our Reference
quoted, please.

Failure to quote References may cause delay.

Your Ref.:
Our Ref.:
F.I.1249

LACON HOUSE,
THEOBALDS ROAD,
LONDON, W.C.1

ENCL 12th February, 1951

SECRET

Dear Sir,

Re: Far Eastern Fur Trading Company Limited,
82, Upper Thames Street, London, E.C.4.

Re: Uscher ZloczowerRe: Rubin Glucksmann

Re: "Wostwag" West-Ost-Europaische (otherwise
known as Deutsche Handels A.G.) Waren Austausch A.G.
of 10, Schiffbauerdamm, Berlin, N.W.7

Crawford wrote to Tolhurst from Oxford on the 18th February, 1943,
regarding the activities of the above-named Uscher Zloczower, and
sent us a memorandum of your Department's information about Zloczower.

We had sent you in June, 1940, a copy of the report of the
Inspector appointed under the Trading with the Enemy Act, 1939, to
look into the affairs of the Far Eastern Fur Trading Company Limited.

We subsequently vested all the shares in the Company in the
Custodian, whether in the name of Zloczower or Glucksmann, and, in
consequence, the Company has subsequently been under the control of
the Custodian.

The question is now being considered, in as much as we want to
clear our files as much as possible, how to dispose of this case,
and we wondered whether you had any other available information to
impart.

Your source of information was, I believe, the American
Authorities; but their attitude seems to have been inconsistent, as
while in 1936 they warned you about Zloczower and described him as
one of the executives in Europe of "Wostwag", yet they admitted
Zloczower, during 1938, to the United States, and in 1944 granted him
American citizenship.

We have received an application on behalf of Zloczower by
Messrs. Hale and Mackay, Solicitors, of 2, Clements Inn, Strand,
London, W.C.2, asking for the release of Zloczower's assets here.

We are in some difficulty, in as much as we have been unable to
show that the Far Eastern Fur Trading Company Limited was, in fact, a

/subsidiary

Guy Poston, Esq.,
Box 500,
Parliament Street B.O.,
London, S.W.1.

Copy to PF 45,639.

ANY REPLY SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO "THE CONTROLLER-GENERAL" AND OUR REFERENCE QUOTED, PLEASE

subsidiary of the Berlin concern, "Wostwag"; and of course, Zloczower, as far as our knowledge goes, has never been in enemy territory since the outbreak of war on the 3rd September, 1939; and while he was an Austrian up to 1944, is, according to our information, now a naturalised citizen of the United States of America.

There is no Austrian Treaty as yet of course, but for your confidential information, it is policy not to regard Austrians in as serious a light as enemies as Germans. Moreover, under the Trading with the Enemy Act, 1939, the category of "enemy subject" is by no means the same as the category of enemy."

What would help up considerably, would be if there were any evidence available to you giving some degree of proof that the Far Eastern Fur Trading Company Limited was in fact at material times a subsidy of "Wostwag"; or if there was any information available as to where Zloczower got the money from with which the Company was started here, in February, 1936. Other information which would probably be of assistance to us would be to know whether the Americans have taken any action in connection with Zloczower's activities in the U.S.A.

One action which we could possibly take here (if it could be successfully argued that this was desirable in order to preserve what remains of the assets of the Company, the Far Eastern Fur Trading Company Limited) would be to wind the Company up. But we I think should feel some diffidence about that, having regard to our inability to prove German ownership and our inability hitherto to demonstrate that Zloczower was other than of Austrian nationality, and later, of U.S.A. nationality, by naturalisation.

Any observations or information with which you could favour us as a guide to further action we should be very glad to have.

I may perhaps add that the last known address we seem to have of Zloczower was 6933, Groton Street, Forest Hill, L.I., New York; and that a considerable time ago we wrote to F.W. McCombe, when at the British Embassy, Washington, asking for information as to the U.S.A. Authorities' attitude towards Zloczower, but we cannot trace that we ever received any response. It may be that we shall have to consider whether we shall repeat an enquiry in the U.S.A., but it might give us no appreciable help after all, so we thought that, at any rate, we ~~shall~~ first of all ask you whether you had any observations that might assist us.

Would you please let me hear from you.

Yours very truly,

F. C. Wells

F. C. Wells

PS, Another address of Zloczower:- 304 West 92nd St., New York C

MINUTE SHEET.

Reference.....

61.

5.40.
5.40.

From G.P.O. re subscriber to Finchley 0707 - Dr. BERNSTEIN.
 From B.6. re observation on RINK and enclosing May Day pamphlets.

61a.
61b.

62.

5.40.
5.40.

From B.6. re observation on RINK and enclosing residents at 44 Russell Sq.
 To G.P.O. re H.O.Ws connected with GLUCKSMANN and F.E.FUR TRADING Co.

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62a.

63.

5.40.

To G.P.O. requesting information re GLUCKSMANN's private telephone.

63a.

64.

5.40.

Original letter intercepted from Novelty Trading Co., Shanghai to
 GLUCKSMANN, forwarded by G.P.O.

64a.

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From G.P.O. in reply to 63a re GLUCKSMANN.

65a.

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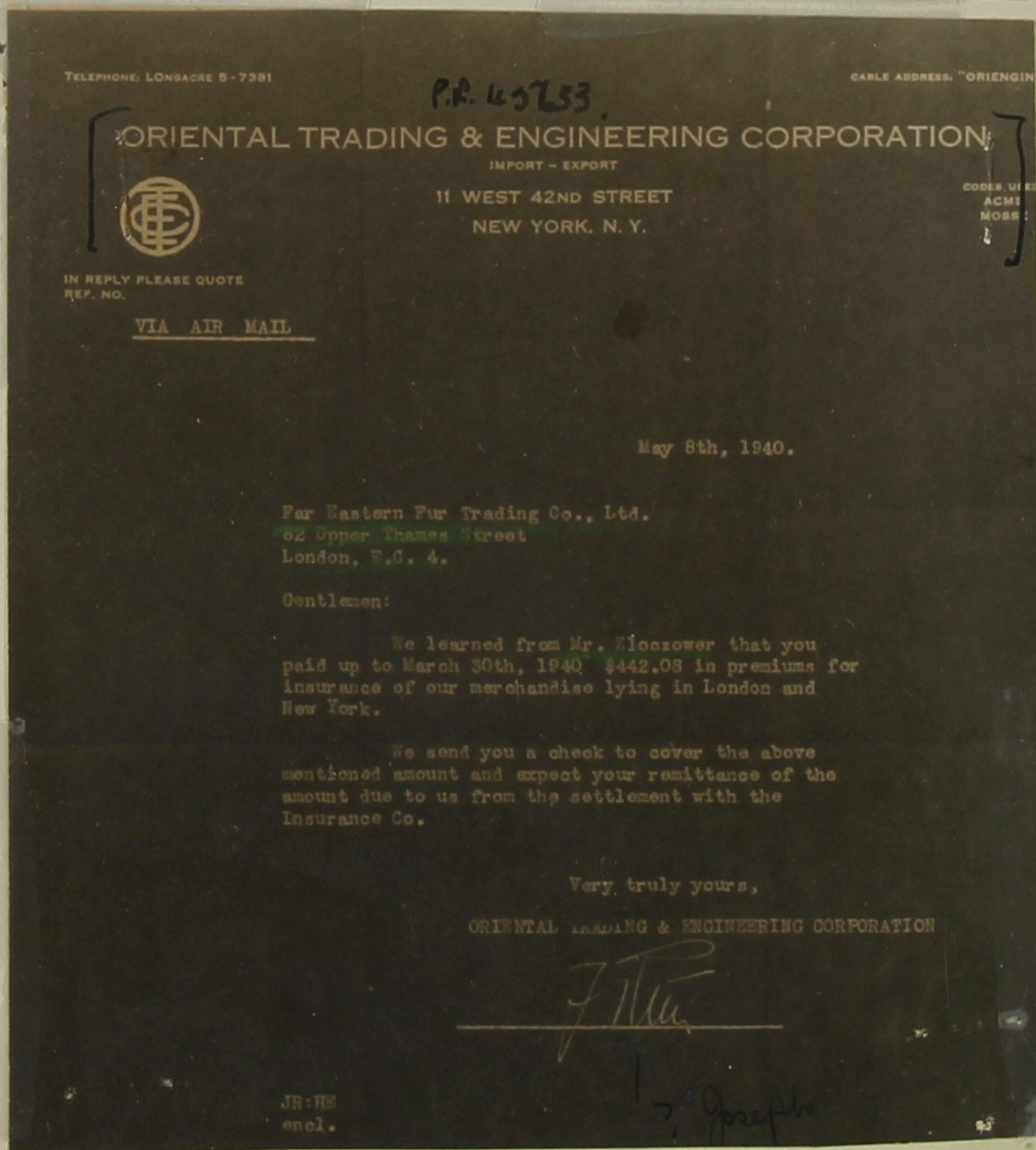
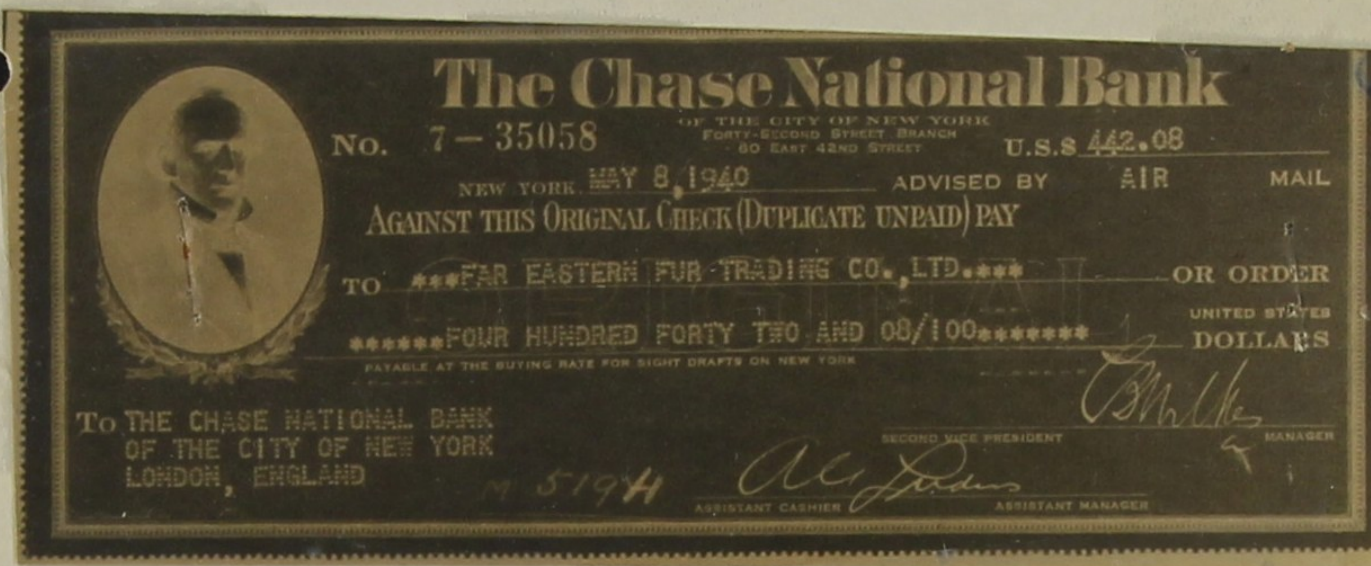
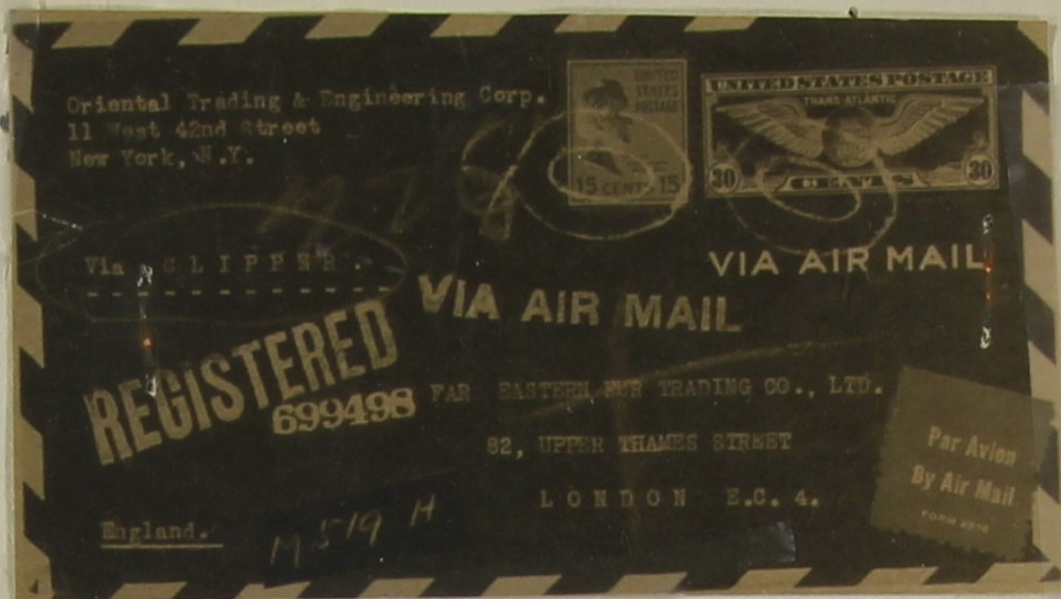
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Int. letter from Oriental Trading & Engineering Corp. to Far Eastern
 FUR TRADING CO., mentioning ZLOCZOWER.

66a.

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~~Mrs Archer.~~

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651

Mr Glucksmann does not
appear to have a telephone in
his own name at Bollingwood House

W. Roddick

8/5/40

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51

SECRET

Telephone Nos.

SPHERD'S BUSH 5391-2

RN 3286-7

**BOX NO. 500,
PARLIAMENT STREET, B.O.,
LONDON, S.W.1.**

P.F.46551/B.4.

Colonel Allen,
G.P.O.

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I know that it is unusual for persons at Dolphin Square to have their own telephone, but I understand that it is done sometimes, and I am anxious to find out if GLUCKSMANN is one of the exceptions.

K. L. Archer

8.5.40.

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Telephone : HEAdquarters
 Telegrams : Postaff, Cent, London

Your Reference
 P.O. Reference



J.B.
 PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT,
 GENERAL POST OFFICE,
 LONDON, E.C.1.

8. 5. 40

Mr. Archer

P.J. 46551/B₄

*Ref your memo of today
 concerning Gluckmann etc you
 may like to see in original this packet
 which has just come in off the "China"
 mail.*

E. Helms

64A

Original of letter to Glucksmann from
Novell's Trading Co., Shanghai

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司 公 易 貿 新 惟
NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATIONS-IMPORT-EXPORT

TEL. 81990 AND 73098
TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
NOTRACO, SHANGHAI

39, AVENUE EDWARD VII
(C.F.C. BUILDING)
SHANGHAI

電 報 掛 號
上海愛多亞路卅九號
Notraco

SHANGHAI, April 3, 1940.

Mr. R. Glucksmann
c/o Far Eastern Fur Trading Co., Ltd
82, Upper Thames Str.
London EC4.

Dear Rubin,

I am enclosing 9 fotos showing Peking Jewellery. The pictures are quite good so that you can get some idea of the object. Unfortunately I have no pictures of gift-articles at the moment, but if you are interested, you can easily see such at competent stores in London. To tell you the truth, I have sent away all the pictures of gift-articles, I had, and they are so darn expensive that I am not so keen on ordering some more, besides it would have delayed this letter. The things, I mean under gift-articles are various nippes, boxes, smoking-sets, vases, trays, etc. made of brass, pewter, ivory, lacquer, cloisonne ware, a.s.o.

The fotos No. 1, 2 and 3 show so called carved Lacquer:

Article Nr. 3 - Armring	price per doz. U\$. 0.50
" " 4 - Bracelet	" " " " 2.50
" " 6 - Ear-Rings	" " " " 0.45
" " 8 - Broches & Clips	" " " " 0.45
" " 7 - Buckles for belts	" " " " 1.50
" " 9 - buttons (3 sizes) <i>price</i>	" " " " 0.15 (assorted)

There are also lacquer-rings, the *price* is about U\$. 0.25 per doz.

All the carved lacquer-articles can be delivered in red, black, green and white.

Foto No. 4:

Article No. 11 - Rings: mountings made of silverplated brass, the finger-rings open at the back and therefore adjustable to any finger-size, all handwork (filigrane, hammerwork), stones: Achat, Topas, Turquoise, Ametysth, Rose-quarz, crystal, ivory, corals, etc.
price per doz. U\$. 0.55 (assorted)

Foto No. 5 & 6:

Article No. 17 - Bracelets, mountings silverplated brass, handwork (filigrane) stones: rose-quarz and cornelians per doz. U\$. 3.00
" " 18 bracelet, mounting as above, stones: amethysts per doz U\$. 2.80
" " 15 " " " " stones: carved ivory per doz. U\$. 3.20

Foto No. 7

Article No. 18 bracelet, mounting: filigrane work, enamelled with carved red lacquer per doz. U\$. 2.80
" " 19 " mounting: filigrane-work, stones: turquoise per doz: U\$. 1.30
" " 21 Clips, Enamel-work with cornelian per doz: " 0.65
" " 22 " filigr. " " lapis " " " 1.20

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Foto No.8

Article No.23	- Clips, mountings filigrane-resp.hammerwork, stones cornelians and rose-quarz	per doz.....U\$. 1.65
" " 24	Clips made of white jade	" " " 1.75

Foto No.9

Article No.12 & 16:	fancy buttons, filigrane work with turquoise	per doz.....U\$. 0.45
" " 13	Ear-rings - mountings & stones as Art.No.11	per doz....." 0.80
" " 14	Necklace made of Lotus-seed, carved peach-stone and glass-beads	per 100 pc. " 6.50

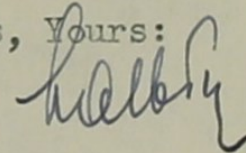
All the prices given are net purchasing prices including packing and export-duty, as far as there is any to pay. The exchange-rate is U\$.6.00 for S'hai-\$.100.- The variety is, of course much bigger, than shown on the fotos, and the leading idea should be to have with every shipment, different things in selection, form, work and completion.

Furthermore I must mention that the above prizes could be cut down by buying bigger quantities. But I am sure that also with these prizes one has a chance to cut in.

I would be more than glad, if you for yourself would think of co-operating with me. That is why I gave you my honest purchasing-prizes, so that you can get a proper picture of the possibilities. The main question is, of course, whether there is at present a possibility at all to import into England. I have no idea about the regulations in England with regard to importation of goods, remittance of money etc.

In any case I shall be very grateful to you, if you would take the trouble and find out all about possibilities in this line of trade, - Furthermore I want you to write to me and give your own opinion about the whole thing.

With best regards, Yours:



Encl.

0417
Hoskins Trading Co
37, Ave. Edward VII
Shanghai, China



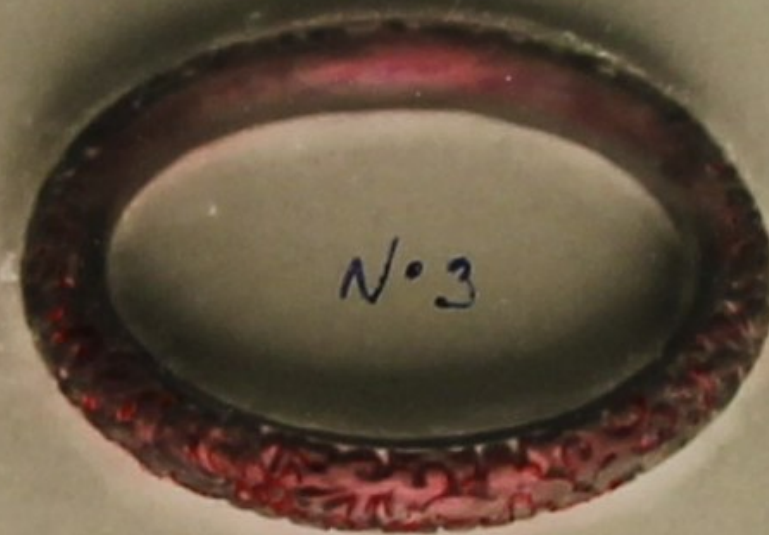
Mr R. Gluckmann
40 Far Eastern Fir Trading Co
82, Upper Thames Street
London EC4
England

NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT
20, AVENUE EDWARD VII
SHANGHAI
TEL. 51000 AND 73000

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NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT
88, AVENUE EDWARD VII
SHANGHAI
TEL. 81000 AND 73000

NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
SHANGHAI

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No. 7



No. 9C



No. 9B

Bentley

NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT
89, AVENUE EDWARD VII
SHANGHAI
TEL. 31080 AND 20000

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Nº 11



Smith

NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT
39, AVENUE EDWARD VII
SHANGHAI
TEL. 81890 AND 73098

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NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY
REPRESENTATION—IMPORT—EXPORT
81, AVENUE EDWARD VII
MARSEILLE
TEL. 82000 AND 12000

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NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY

REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT

39, AVENUE EDWARD VII

SHANGHAI

TEL. 81000 AND 73008



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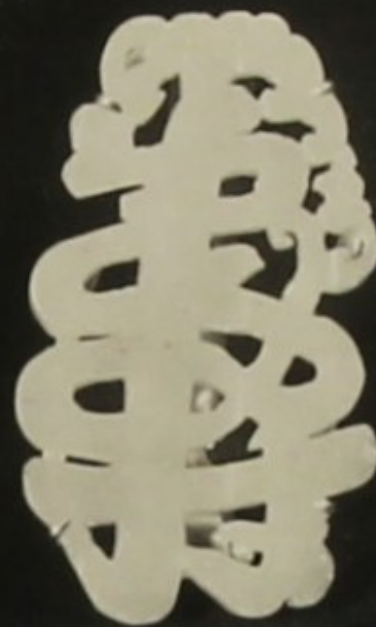


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SHANGHAI
TEL. 81990 AND 73098



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NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY

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30, AVENUE EDWARD VII

SHANGHAI

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NOVELTIES TRADING COMPANY

REPRESENTATIONS—IMPORT—EXPORT

29, AVENUE EDWARD VII

SHANGHAI

TEL. 21000 AND 20000

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P.F.46551/B.4.

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8.5.40.AB
15/6/40

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Copy at 11A-2?F 49564.

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P.F.46551/B.4.

Colonel Allen,
G.P.O.

Reference our conversation yesterday, the H.O.s in which I am particularly interested and which are all tied up together with that of Rubin GLUCKSMANN are the checks on 24a Hillfield Park, N.10, 37 Lambs Conduit Street, W.C.1, and the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. Ltd., 82 Upper Thames Street, E.C.4. I am particularly interested to see everything on these checks.

I should be very grateful if you would ask your staff kindly to glance through intercepts and telephone me or Miss Small if they relate to appointments, so that I can arrange to have them covered. Incidentally I have not had any results at all on the Far Eastern Fur Trading Co. It may be that material going there looks like, or is, genuine business, but I still want copies of the correspondence as I want to inform myself of everything there is to be learnt about the firm and the persons employed in it.

K.L.H.A.

8.5.40.AB
5/6/40

P.F. 54396.

7th May, 1940
622Re:- [Kate RINK, 24A, Hillfield Park, Muswell Hill.]

Observation has been continued on the above person, and at 1.20 p.m. on Thursday, 2nd May, she left her business address - 82, Upper Thames Street - to Lyons, Walbrook, entering at 1.25 p.m. where she remained 20 minutes, then returned to office. At 3.50 p.m. she again left office to her home address entering at 4.45 p.m. and was not seen again up to 7.0 p.m. when observation ceased.

At 10.20 a.m. on Friday, 3rd May, she entered her business address. At 12.25 p.m. she left, and after calling at Herbert & Co., 18, Dowgate Hill, entered Lyons, Walbrook, at 12.20 p.m. where she remained 30 minutes, then took bus to 52-54, Leadenhall St. where she delivered a letter to Willis Faber & Dumas Ltd, Insurance Brokers, and returned to office. At 3.30 p.m. she again left office and travelled to Tottenham Court Rd. then to Oxford Street where she made a few purchases, before returning to her home address, entering at 6.20 p.m. and was not seen again up to 7.30 p.m. when observation ceased.

On Saturday, 4th May, she left office at 12.50 p.m. and travelled to Moorgate St: by bus, where she alighted; bought a copy of the Daily Worker, and continued her journey to Highgate, where she purchased some flowers and returned home, entering at 1.40 p.m. At 3.0 p.m. she again left home in the company of her sister, and after making several purchases, locally, returned home at 4.10 p.m. and was not seen again up to 6.0 p.m. when observation ceased.

On Monday, 6th May, she entered her office at 10.15 a.m. and left at 1.10 p.m. to Lyons, Walbrook, for lunch, returning to office at 1.40 p.m. At 3.20 p.m. she again left the office to Herbert & Co., 18, Dowgate Hill, and then travelled to Muswell Hill, entering her home address at 4.25 p.m. At 5.40 p.m. she left home and travelled to 44, Russell Square, entering at 6.15 p.m. where a small meeting was apparently being held. At 8.15 p.m., Rink, accompanied by a man and woman left this address, and all three walked to and entered the Friends Meeting House, Euston Road, at 8.25 p.m. where a meeting was being held to protest against the increased rail fares, the chief speaker being Mr. Herbert Morrison. M.P., and Mr. Willmott. M.P.

At 9.50 p.m. the meeting closed, and after talking at the door for a short time, Rink left the man and woman companions

both of whom were followed back to 44, Russell Square, where they entered at 10.15 p.m. Observation ceased at 10.30 p.m.

Two trade name-plates outside this address give the names of :- The International Super Phosphates Man.Co: and Fertiliser Man.Association. There is also a name-plate on the door for Schapling and Thompson.

The Voters List for 44, Russell Square, give the following names as occupants:-

Edwin Donald Lewis BRANCH.

Arthur Hugh CHARLIN.

Margaret CURRAN.

Irene MARCOUSE

John PRAGER.

Rose

John Henry Clement REACH. (J)

Elizabeth REACH.

R. O.

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Rw. -

Rw. Ow.

R. O.

Rw. Dw.

R. O.

Rw. Dw.

J.P.F. 39923

Description of man :- Age 32-35; height 5'10"; slim build; fresh complexion; sharp features; dark hair; wearing grey suit; black shoes; horn rimmed spectacles, and carrying fawn mackintosh.

Description of woman :- Age 32-35; height 5'2"-3"; well built; full figure; full face; sallow complexion; dark hair; wearing grey costume, no hat.

*Irene Marcouse, ardent communist, suspected
1932, A.H. Chaplin is her husband.*

P.F. 54396 Rink

6th May 1940.

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Re: Kate RINK employee at FAR EASTERN FUR TRADING CO: LTD

Further observation on the above woman at her business address - 82, Upper Thames Street - was taken up on Wednesday, 1st May, and at 10.15 a.m. she entered the office. At 12.50 p.m. she left, and after posting some letters, entered Lyons, Walbrook, at 12.55 p.m. where she remained 35 minutes, then walked to Lombard Street where a young woman stopped and spoke to her, and parted. The woman friend was followed to 37, Leadenhall Street, 3rd floor, being apparently all one firm, viz BLEICHROEDER Ltd; BLEICHROEDER BING & Co: Ltd; and BING & Co. *Trace*

Watch was then taken up at 82, Upper Thames St: and at 3.45 p.m. RINK left and travelled to Marble Arch, then entered Hyde Park and walked to where the meetings were being held. She did not listen to any particular speaker, but kept wandering round speaking to various people till the meetings finished at approximately 6.15 p.m. For some time she had been in the company of a young woman who had been left with a banner, which subject now helped to carry to Charing Cross where it was deposited in the Cloak Room. Both Rink and woman friend now entered Lyons, Strand at 7.20 p.m. where they remained 30 minutes then travelled to Holborn Hall where a meeting and sing song was taking place. At 10.15 p.m. Rink left the Hall* to return to her home address. At 11.5 p.m. when the proceedings finished, subject's woman friend left the building, and after talking outside for a short while, travelled to Kentish Town, and was followed to No. 14, Grove Terrace, Kentish Town, which she entered at 12 midnight.

The Voters List for this address shows the following as occupants:-

Arthur Sydney BRIGHT. (J) R.
 Jessie Elizabeth Francis BRIGHT.
 Maxwell Vernon BRIGHT NT
 Dorothy MOTT NT
 Stanley Charles MOTT NT
 Lincoln SPRINGFIELD. NT
 [Phyllis SPRINGFIELD.] PF 47053

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 To be carded in
 PF 47053

P.F. 47053

R. H. H. H.

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FIRST OF MAY DEMONSTRATION.HYDE PARK, 1940.

4 p.m.

List of Speakers.

	<u>Platform 1.</u>	<u>Platform 2.</u>	<u>Platform 3.</u>	<u>Platform 4.</u>
Chairman:	C.Berridge.	W.Rowe.	W.Zak.	Madge Gunson.
Speakers:				
1.	John Mahon.	W.Francis.	Ted Willis.	Joe Scott. <i>W. Keable.</i>
2.	Lizzie Scott.	J.Prendergast.	A. Alley.	Cypriot Comrade.
3.	Indian Comrade.	Cllr. Moran (Islington).	Alice Loveman.	Rev. Charles.
4.	Cllr. Charles Searson (Southwark).	Rev. S. Evans.	Rev. Putterill.	R.P. Dutt.
5.	Harry Pollitt.	Ted Bramley.	W. Rust.	

Preliminary Meeting, Chenies Street, 2 p.m.

Demonstration, Hyde Park, 4 p.m.

COMMEMORATION OF FIFTY YEARS OF MAY THE FIRST 1890—1940



FOR FIFTY YEARS THE WORKERS OF BRITAIN
HAVE CELEBRATED THE FIRST OF MAY AS A
DAY OF INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY WITH THE
WORKERS AND PEASANTS OF ALL LANDS IN
THEIR STRUGGLE FOR SOCIALISM AND
EMANCIPATION FROM EXPLOITATION
AND OPPRESSION

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LET US examine the conditions in which we spend our lives. What do we see? We work long and hard. We produce endless wealth, gold and apparel, satins and silk. From the depths of the earth we extract iron and coal. We build machines, we fit the ships and we construct railways. All the wealth of the world is the product of our hands, of our sweat and blood. And what kind of wages do we get from this forced labour? If things were as they should be we would be living in fine houses, we would wear good clothes and would never have to suffer need. But we know well enough that our wages are never sufficient for our living. Our bosses push down the wages, force us to work overtime, place unjust fines upon us—in a word, oppress us in every way. And then what do we get when we voice our dissatisfaction; we are thrown into prison without further ado. We are forbidden to struggle. Ignorance and slavery—these are the means by which the capitalists and the government that serves them oppress us. How can we improve conditions, raise our wages, shorten the working day, protect ourselves from insults, win the opportunity of reading good books?

OUR STRENGTH LIES IN UNITY, OUR METHOD IS UNITED,
STUBBORN RESISTANCE AGAINST THE BOSSES.

LENIN'S FIRST OF MAY MESSAGE 1890

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MAY THE FIRST JUBILEE SOUVENIR CARD 1940

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BOX NO. 500,

PARLIAMENT STREET, B.O.,

LONDON S.W.1.

Colonel Allen,
G.P.O.

I should be grateful if you would let me
know the name of the subscriber to telephone - Finchley
0707.

4.5.40

D.G. write to Mr Archer.

Mr Archer.

The subscriber is: -

Dr F. Bernstein

162 Regents Park Rd

Finchley, N. 3.

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Letter from Mrs. GLUCKSMANN.

To Rubin GLUCKSMANN

dated 6.5.40.

Writer says that Alisa's birthday is over and that GLUCKSMANN has received a description of it from Micky. She thanks GLUCKSMANN for sending them the scotch kilts. She is writing separately to Ellusch(?) Writer asks GLUCKSMANN to settle the enclosed account. She gives news of the children.

Letter to Mr. GLUCKSMANN (enclosed in Martha's letter)

From Bureau de ^{DECLARER} L'Enregistrement, 5ème Bureau des Sociétés
7 DEC 1938

Writer is asked to pay as soon as possible the sum of ^{8245, "20} which his firm owes. Subscription due on 1.1.37 to 31.12.37 the date on which an extraordinary Association(?) general pronounced the liquidation of the firm.

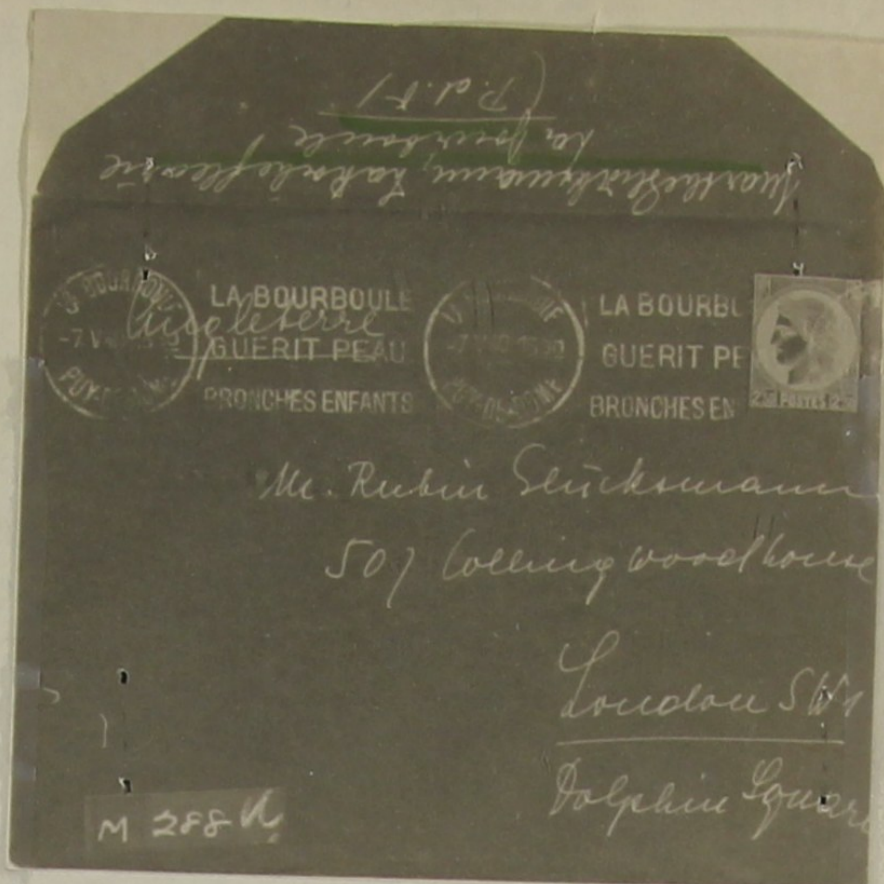
Letter Dated 5.5.40

To GLUCKSMANN

From Micky.
10 MAY 1940

Micky sends her father a description of her sister, Alisa's birthday, the presents and food.

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6. Mai 1890.

Mein lieber Rubin. Heute ist also der Geburtstag
unseres Alberten auch vorbei und du hast
sicher schon den Feiertag von unserem
Jüngsten bekommen. Niemand hätte es
besser und genauer machen können
als die kleine Nicky-Maus. Sie schreibt dir
sehr gerne und freut sich auch sehr von
dir Antwort zu bekommen. Dagegen
ist's beim "Hasi" eine andere Sache. Ihre
Briefe schreiben entschließt sie sich schwer
weil gleich sie auch viel an dich denkt.
Du kannst dir vorstellen wie sie sich mit
dem Kitt gefreut hat! Na und wir
anderen sind auch stolz mit unseren
schönen Schollentröcken, die übrigens
ausgezeichnet passen. Du gleich
schreibe ich Hermannen extra. Für
heute vielen Dank und Pussis!
Bei uns hier ist jetzt viel Sonnenschein
und da sieht gleich alles anders aus.
Die Wiesen sind gelb, voller Primeln und
die Kinder sind viel draussen; die
Aufgaben werden im Sonnenschein
geschrieben und unser Jüngster
kommt überhaupt nicht ins Haus
um zu schreiben. Toto will - - - also
ein mal - Kalle Milch, mal Orange
mal Essen aber Papa hat! und
dann wenn Schlafenszeit ist erklärt
er auch "Toto will schlafen".

M 288 K

Ich bekomme beigelegte Steuer sache
 und bitte dich die Sache (die doch aus-
 schließlich das Büro angeht) sofort
 zu erledigen damit ich keine Unan-
 nehlichkeiten habe. Von Regine
 habe ich keine Post. Maloi sucht
 heftig eine neue Wohnung und
 scheint bisher nichts gefunden zu sein.
 Ruth hat geschrieben und Rser Apin
 ist wohl da. Sonst sieht und hört
 man hier nichts vom Leben in der
 Welt und ich bin recht zufrieden
 damit. Monique wird viel gelesen,
 Elisa hat großen Lesevorrat zum
 Geburts tag bekommen. Ich bin noch
 immer beim blicken Rivera, denn viel
 Zeit habe ich nicht zum Lesen; die
 Wirtschaft gibt schon allerhand
 Beschäftigung (besonders wenn alles
 hässlich primitiv ist). Aber wenn
 man gesund ist so ist das eine
 gute Arbeit und schadet nicht.

Für heute u. Gute Nacht

Viele Grüssi von Heidi

Ollen

M 258 K

DEC 25
 25 AUG 1960

ENTREGISTREMENT,
DOMAINES et TIMBRE
Les de finances
du 31 décembre 1943, art. 51).

Le *Contreleur*

PARIS 14
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1940
PARIS

M. *Gluckmann liquidateur*
Ville La Roche Fleurie
La Bourbeuse (Rue de Dôme)
22 rue des Princes
Boulogne sur Mer

BUREAU EXPÉDITEUR
auquel le présent pli devra être
renvoyé en cas de non-distrib-
ution [adresse complète] :
(3-11, rue de la)
6, Rue des Pyramides, PARIS
BUREAU DES SÉJETS

M28842

Le présent avis doit
toujours être renvoyé ou
représenté.

APPeler
DANS
LA CORRESPONDANCE
L'INDICATION
CI-DESSOUS :

Sommier ou dossier
des Sociétés
n° 5. 1498.

Comme
d'Entre Mer

DÉPARTEMENT BUREAU DE L'ENREGISTREMENT N° 93.

5^{ème} BUREAU DES SOCIÉTÉS (2. 1200—Janv. 1935.)

6^{ème} Rue des Pyramides, PARIS

(3^{ème} Étage, Porte 315)

Compte courant de chèques postaux

n° du bureau d

9253/34

Monsieur

Je vous de bien vouloir verser
dans le plus bref délai possible
la somme de 3.245,20; dont
votre société est redevable.

taxe d'abonnement au timbre
exigible du 1^{er} janvier 1934 au 31.
Decembre 1934 date à laquelle
une assemblée générale extraordinaire
a prononcé la dissolution de la S.C.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur, mes salutations distinguées

A Paris, le 1^{er} mai 1935

Le Contrôleur de l'Enregistrement
des Domaines et du Timbre.

M288Kx

6th May, 1940. *7th*Re:- Rubin GLUCKSMANN, Collingwood House, Dolphin Square, SW1.

Observation on the above person was continued on Friday, 26th April, and at 9.55 a.m. he left his address and travelled to his business address - 82, Upper Thames St - entering at 10.20 a.m. where he remained 2 hours, then returned to his home address, entering at 12.40 p.m. and was not seen to leave again up to 7.0 p.m. when observation ceased.

On Saturday, 27th April, he left home at 10.10. a.m. entering his business address at 10.40 a.m. He left 82, Upper Thames St: at 12.0 noon and returned direct to his home address, and was not seen again up to 6.0 p.m. when observation was withdrawn.

He left his home address at 9.45 a.m. on Monday, 29th April, to Upper Thames Street, entering at 10.15 a.m. At 12.0 noon he left this address and returned to Dolphin Square, entering at 12.30 p.m. At 4.30 p.m. he again left and walked to and entered the Biography Cinema, Wilton Rd. at 4.35 p.m. At 6.10 p.m. he left the Cinema and travelled by bus to Baker Street, where he alighted and entered 'The Dutch Oven' Restaurant, 122, Baker St: at 6.30 p.m. where he met a young lady. Both now left the Restaurant to Lyons Corner House, Coventry Street, where they entered the Brasserie at 6.50 p.m. and remained an hour, when they both left, walked into Regent St: and parted. The woman friend was followed to 'Gilbert Court' Service Flats, 395, Oxford St: where she entered at 8.5. p.m. Observation was taken up at this latter address in Oxford St: the following morning from 8.0 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. with a view to clearing up the identity of this woman, but she was not seen to leave during this period, and observation was withdrawn.

Description of woman friend:- Height 5'6"; blonde hair; sharp features; thin legs; fresh complexion; age 30; dressed in black coat and hat; dark shoes, and carrying dark handbag.

R. H. L. L.

*we must
identify her -
the person?*

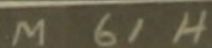
Postcard addressed to Mr. Rubin GLUCKSMANN.

From (1) ^{28 APR 1959} Alisi
(2) Martha ^{DECARDED}

^{25 AUG 1960}
Postmark 4.5.40.

(1) Writer thanks her father for the book and his nice letter. She will write ~~to~~ him a letter later. She is enjoying her birthday very much and again thanks GLUCKSMANN and Elsa. The parcel has not arrived. ^{DECARDED} Nicky was very pleased with GLUCKSMANN's letter. ^{10 MAY 1960}

(2) Martha thanks GLUCKSMANN for his letter. She has heard from EINHORN. She is very pleased.



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Colonel Allen,
G.P.O.

I think that Rubin GLUCKSMANN,
subject of H.O.W.7605, may be receiving letters under
any name, masculine or feminine at 507, Collingwood
House, Dolphin Square, S.W.1.

I should be most grateful if the
check could be altered to GLUCKSMANN or Any Name,
507, Collingwood House, Dolphin Square, S.W.1.

4.5.40.

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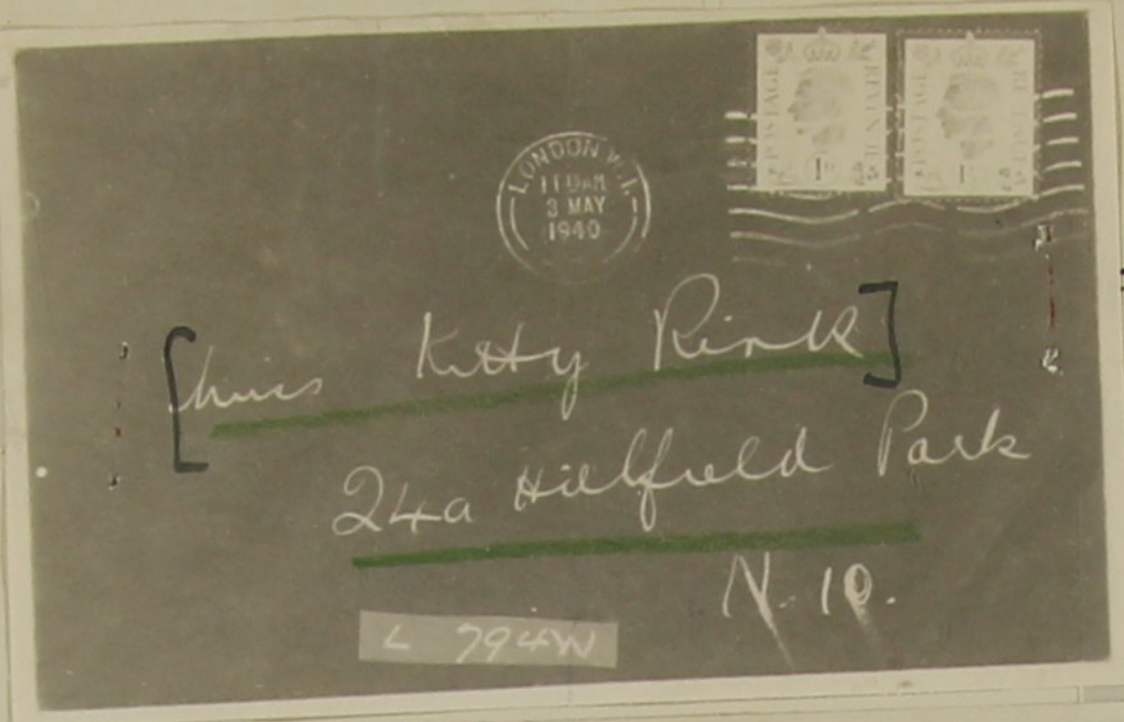
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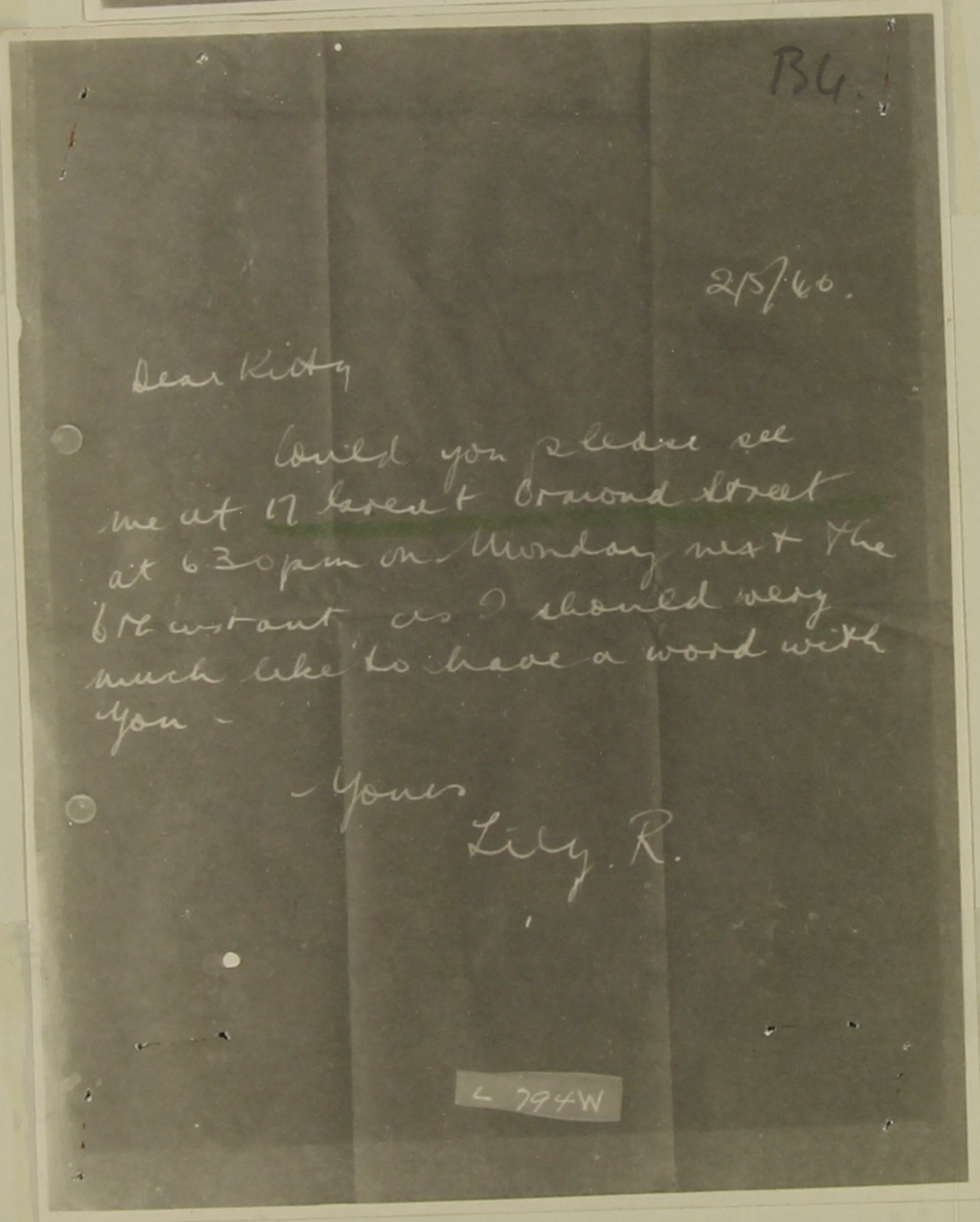
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P.F. 54396 RINK.



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Letter to Rubin GLUCKSMANNFrom Grete (GLUCKSMANN)(?)RECORDED
25 AUG 1960

Dated Redruth 3.5.40.

Writer thanks GLUCKSMANN for being so ready to help Edith (MEYER) and hopes Edith rang him up in time. Writer is delighted that GLUCKSMANN is coming here and so is Leslie. The three of them will spend a marvellous Whitsun together. It would be better if GLUCKSMANN came to Falmouth and writer asks him to write at once if he is definitely coming "Everything else verbally". Writer's mother gets 10s a week at a hospital mending clothes for four hours a day. Writer is having ultra-violet-ray treatment.

A.B.
5/6/40